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Notices of Firms.

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THEE Business CONDUCTED by me in

connection with, the Firms of Messra E.

D. SASSOON & Co. of CHINA, will from

this Date, be Carried on under the Style

WITH Reference to the above, We have

JACOB DAVID as PARTNERS in our Firms

NOTICE,

TATR. W. DETMERS has been authorized

Hongkong, January 81, 1880. - mal

NOTICE.

MAR. N. C. STEVENS is hereby autho-

IVI rized to SIGN our Name by Procura-

tion at Amov, the Power held by Mr

NOTICE.

Firm CEASED on the Sist December last,

NOTICE.

HE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD

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. Agents,

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Mr F. C. DITTMER is authorized to

Mr LEONHARD STAEL in our

RIWELL CRASING from this Date.

China, February 9, 1880.

Sion our Firm per Procuration.

Hongkong, January 1, 1880.

Bongkong, Sept. 3, 1879.

OF UNDERWRITERS.

to Sign our Firm per Procuration.

THIS DAY Admitted Mr JACOB

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ATIONAL BANK OF INDIA,

Banking and Exchange Business.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1880.

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T) EG to announce that they have added to their Business A PIANO TUNING and REPAIRING DEPARTMENT, under the Superintendence of Mr Douglas DALE, who has been sent to them by Messrs John Broadwood & Sons of London; they are now prepared to receive Orders which shall be carefully and efficiently attended to.

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Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

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Hongkong, February 18, 1880.

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THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of THE Undersigned has received in. structions from Mr HANCOCK, to sell by Public Auction, at his Residence, THE "CASTLE,"

MONDAY, the 23rd Instant, at NOON,-The whole of his

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FLOWERS AND PLANTS. Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view on and after Saturday, the 21st Instant.

TERMS OF SALE -- As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctionser.

Hongkong, Feb. 14, 1880.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT. TO BE SOLD as a going Concern, by

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TTO BE LET, on Louis for BUILDING, a PIECE of GROUND, containing about lv,000 square Feet, at spaing GARDRY, on Intend Lot No. 189, commanding a good view of the barbour.

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ON MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-OLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, July 26, 1879.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Chinese.) TITASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the un of ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office .- Price, \$1 cook. CHINA MAIL Office.

Intimations. THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE HONGKONG HORTICULTURAL

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS,

THE Eleventh Ordinary Annual MEET-ING of SHARKHOLDERS in the above Company will be Hold at the Office of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon of MUN-DAY, the 23rd February Instant, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1879, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited.

Hongkong, February 6, 1880. THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 23rd of February instant, both days JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company,

Hongkong, February 6, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE. TR. ROGERS has returned and is now ready to RECEIVE PATIENTS .-No. 7, ABBUTHNOT ROAD. Hongkong, December 8, 1879.

MINE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1865. AND THE CUMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1877.

> (FULLY PAID UP). General Agents. Meanra RUSSELL & Co.

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Solicitors.

Messrs BRERETON and WOTTON. This Company has been formed for the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors of the Cosmoroutan Dock, their Dock and the Gronnand Premises belonging thereto with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-Trade of the parties aforesaid, and the Business and Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of Shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hongkong. For this purpose an absolute Assignment dated the Slat day of January, 1860, has been entered into by Messrs William Port HOWELL FORBES, FRANK BLACKWELL FOR-BES, SAMUEL WYLLYS POMEROY, Junior, JOHN MURRAY FORESS, Junior, FEEDERICK DELANO HITCH, HENRY DE COURCY FOEBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants trading as RUBBELL & Co., as Trustees of WILLIAM BOLTON SPRATT, ANDREW JOHN-STON, and NELSON SPRATT, the owners of the said Cosmopolitan Dock, with Messes KWOK ACHBONG WILLIAM HOWELL FORDER CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, and JOSE AN-Company, for the purchase of all the pretion, for the price or sum of \$500,000, subject to the condition that if the Stockin-Trade consisting of Wood and Iron be Offices of the Corporation, where Sharenot valued by a competent valuator at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 shall abate accordingly.

holders are requested to apply for Warrantz.

By Order of the Court of Directors,

The Cosmopolitan Dock is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest Vessels afloat; it and the Plant and Machinery belonging thereto are now in perfect order. The Business of Building, Docking, Making, and Repairing Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon active business, which it is expected

will be highly remunerative.

The Business of the Company will be conducted by Mesers Russell & Co., as General Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors. About Four Thousand Shares have been already taken up, and it is intended that the Capital will be called up as follows:--

bear interest at 12 per cent, per annum. Application for Shares, which shall be in the annexed form, will be received by the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COM PANY, LIMITED. To Messrs Russell & Co., General Agents.

GENTLEMEN, --hereby request that you will allot

agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to ____ and agree to pay the first Call of 878 per share on allotment, and the second Call of 825 per share on the lat day of May, 1880, and to anbearibe the Articles of Association when required to do so.

Shares in the above Company, and

Your obsdient Servant. N.B. -Blank Form of Application for Shares may be had at the Office of the

SAILORS' HOME,

Gentlemen,

General Agents.

NY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, A PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Home, West Point. Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

Intimations.

SOCIETY. TILOWER SHOW AND ART

EXBIBITION. at the CITY HALL, O . M O R R O W, the 21st February.

The Band of the 27th Inniskillings will play during the Afternoon, and the Band of the U. S. S. Richmond in the Evening. -Admission, \$1.

Tickets may be had of Mesars Line, CRAWFORD & CO. C. S. TAYLOR, Hon. Sec., H K. H. S.

Bongkong, February 20, 1880. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Annual MEETING of SHARE. HOLDER's, is unavoidably POST-PONED till SATURDAY, February 21st, at 8 p.m. By Order of the Board of Directors,

Secretary. Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

D. GILLIES,

TONGKONG HORTICULTURAL SOUILTY.

It is believed that Members' Tickets have been forwarded to all Subscribers. but if any have gone astray they will be replaced on application to the Honorary Schedules are at the English and German Clubs, at Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co.'s,

and may also be obtained from C. S. TAYLOR, Hon. Sec., H.K. H. S. Hongkong, February 19, 1880. fe21

NOTIOE. THE HONGKONG GENERAL CHAM-

BER OF COMMERCE. THE Annual General MEETING of MEMBERS of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce will be Held at the CITY HALL, on MONDAY, the 23rd February, at 3.30 p.m.

By Order, E. GEORGE, Secretary. Hongkoug, February 16, 1880.

THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUS TRALASIA & CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Lines to PENANG, INDIA, EUROPE,

AMERICA and AUSTRALARIA, are now kept Open Night and Day. SINGAPORE, and Stations in Java and SUMATRA, are Open between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., on Week-days and Sundays.

TELEGRAMS for COOMIN-CHINA are sent on Week-days, at 8 40 a.m., 10.10 a.m., 12.40 p.m., 3.40 p.m. and 5.40 p.m. On Sundays, at 7.40 a.m., 9.10 a.m., 2.40 p.m. and 5.10 p.m.

HONGEONG OFFICES, MARINE HOUSE. Queen's Road Central .- Always Open. J. ENSTON SQUIER, Superintendent,

February 17, 1880.

HONGKÓNG & BHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. TONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said | TIBE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 31st December last, at mises mentioned, without further confirms | the Rate of (£1) ONE POUND STERLING per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 16th Current, at the

T. JAOKSON,

Hongkong, February 14, 1880. mal CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

Chief Manager.

PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS,

THE Ordinary Annual MEETING -of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be Held at the OFFICE of the \$75 per share on allotment.

General Agents, on FRIDAY, the 5th day \$25 per share on the lat day of May, of March next, at 3 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the All unpaid Capital after that date shall General Agents, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 18:9, JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

> Hongkong, February 14, 1880. UHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

General Agen's.

THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20t February current to 6th March next, both days inclusive.

NOTIOE.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

PRICE, \$1.50. "COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW,"

NOW READY.

BY E. H. PARKER. Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the

Hongkong, December 6, 1879,

China Mail Office.

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Bteamers. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA

The Steamship " Moray," M. J. BUTCHES, Com-mander, will be despatch. ed as above on SATURDAY Next, the 21st Inst., at 3 o'clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, February 14, 1880. fe21

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship "Arratoon Apear."

Capt. A. B. MACTAVISH, will be despatched for the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 21st Inst., at 8 o'clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, February 14, 1880. fe21

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship " Douglas. Captain Young, will be lespatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 23nd Instant, at Daylight.

Hongkong, February 17, 1880,

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO. The Steamship 44 Cairnimuir!" shortly due, will have quick despatch for the above Ports. For Freight, apply to

HOLLIDAY, WISE &Co.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIR &Co.

FOR LONDON. The Steamship "Glengyle," Capt. Quantry, will be despatched as above on or about the 22nd Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, February 11, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON FIA SUFZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Captain S. H. Burlen, will be despatched on or about the 3rd Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, February 18, 1880.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR TAKAO AND TAIWANFOO. The A 1 German Schooner The A I German Schooner

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CESTMANN, Master, shortly due,
will load here for the above fe25 | Ports, and will have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, February 17, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark

"Haydn Brown,"

HAYENER, Meater, will load
here for the above Port, and The A 1 American Bark will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, February 7, 1880. FOR LONDON.

The A 1 British Ship

Duke of Abercorn,"

BINNIE, Master, will losd here
for the above Port, and will The A 1 British Ship have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. Day, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have The A 1 American Ship quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK.

The A 1 American Bark "Mabel," HALIETT, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despitch.

For Fraight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

FOR NEW YORK. MITH, Mester, will load here for the above Port, and will The 2 1 American Ship

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1830.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Ship "Prince Frederick,"

CLague, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. Bor Freight, apply to

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, December 1, 1879,

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HAVE JUST LANDED WHOM THE AMERICAN MAIL THE following STORES, Excellent Condition :-Fresh Roll BUTTER. Finest Comb HONEY, in Frame.

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Smoked SALMON: Family Mess BEEF, in 25 lbs. kegs. Oregon Pickled OX TONGUES, very fine. Family PORK, in 25 lbs. kegs. American HAMS. Do. BACON.

CORNMEAL, HOMINY, CRACKED WHEAT. OATMEAL, RYE FLOUR, WHEAT FLOUR, CORN BROOMS, CORN WISPS. Table FRUITS, Bartlet PEARS, APRI-COTS, PEACHES.

Stuffed PEPPERS, ASPARAGUS. APPLE SAUCE, CRANBERRY SAUCE. CLAMS. CREAM of TARTAR, SALERATUS.

Merrits' Eastern CIDER. WINSLOW'S Celebrated GREEN CORN. LIMA BEANS, SUCCATASH, SUGAR CALIFORNIA CHACKER Co.'s GINGER CAKES.

MILK BISCUITS. ALPHABET BISCUITS. OYSTER BISCUITS. WAFER BISOUITS. SODA BISCUITS.

Ex S.S. "GLENFINLAS," and Late Arrivals.

SMYRNA FIGS. Muscatel BLOOM RAISINS. JORDAN ALMONDS. Cooking and Table PRUNES. Pudding RAISINS and CURRANTS. Candied PEEL. MINCEMEAT in 1-1b. thus. VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA. CARRAWAY SEEDS.

SCHWEITZER'S COCOATINA. HAM TONGUE & CHICKEN SAUSAGE. WESTPHALIAN, BOLOGNA, OXFORD, and TRUFFLED SAUSAGES. GAME PIES.

Potted MEATS. Prime Yorkshire HAMS. Prime Wiltshire BACON in Tins & Canvas. OX-TONGUES in JELLY. TRUFFLES.

Champagne, &c.

HEIDSIECK & Co.'s MONOPOLE, Pints and Quarts, ADOLPHE COLLIN'S BOUZY CABINET. MUMM'S (JULYS) CHAMPAGNE, Pints and Quarts.___ NEYEN'S (BODEN) BOUZY, Pts. and Qis.

CHARLES HEIDSIECK'S WHITE SEAL, VEUVE CLIQUOT PONSARDIN, Pints and Quarts.

THEOPHILE ROEDERER & Co.'s VERZENAY MOUSSEUX, Pints and Quarts. KEUG'S OHAMPAGNE, Pints and Quarts. PERRIER JOUET in Quarts.

Claret.

THIBŒUF (CHATEAU), Pints and Quarts. CHATEAU LAROSE (CURCIER & ADET'S), Pints and Quarts. CHATEAU LAFITE, Pints and Quarts. IRES GRAVES, Pints and Quarts. BREAKFAST CLARET, Piuts & Quarts. OLD INVALID CLARET. Sr. JULIEN, &c., &c.

Burgundy, Hock, Sherries, &c. Chambertin, Chablis (white), Liebfraumilch, Hookheimer, Niersteiner, Steinberger Cabinet, Rudesheimer Berg, Koniniu Victoria Berg, Chateau Yquem, Grand Viv, Hant Sauterne, Marsala, Saccone's Pale Dry White Seal Sherry, Yellow Seal Amontilado Sherry, Cutler Palmer and Company's

Brandy, Whisky, Liqueurs, &c. 1, 2 and 3-star Hennessy's Brandy, La Grande Marque Brandy, Cutler Palmer & Co.'s Brandy, Rouyer Guillet & Co.'s Brandy, I to 4 stars; Finest Old Bourbon Whisky, highly recommended, Kinahan's LL Irish Whisky,

Sherry, Invalid Port (1848), Hunt's Port.

Jamieson's Irish Whisky, Royal Glendes Whisky AVH Gin, Swaine Boord & Co.'s Old Tom Gin; La Grande Chartreuse, Green and Yellow, Maraschino de Zara, Curação, Pts. & Qts.; Augoatura, Boker's and Orange Bitters, &c., &c., &c.

BASS' ALE, bottled by CAMERON & SAUE-DEES, Pints and Quarts. GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. & J. BURKE, Pints and Quarts. PHISENER BEER, in Quarts. DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the Gallon.

SHELTZ MILWAUKEE BEER. BUDNESIER BEER. BOCA BEER. ALBION ALE BLATZ MILWAUKES BEER. LE and PORTER, in Bulk, (Hhds. and Kilderkins).

Ships' STORES of every description. Hemp and Cotton CANVAS. Russian, Manila, and Wire ROPE. SAIL-MAKING and RIGGING promptly

executed. Specially Selected OIGARS. Princessa CHEROOTS. Cavite CHEROOTS. Princessa CIGARS. Cavite CIGARS. Aroceros CIGARS.

Vegueros CIGARS. Choice No. 1 Fortin CIGARS in Boxes in their Bills of Lading to the Under-Choice No. 3 Meisig CHEROOTS. Choice No. 3 Fortin CIGARS,

NEW SEASON'S PRESENT TEA, in 5 and 10 Catty Boxes. Hongkong, January 12, 1880.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. TULES MUMM CHAMPAGNE Quarts.....\$16 per 1 doz. Case. Pints.....\$17 per Z doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

FOR SALE. THEOPHILE ROEDERER & Co.'s

OHAMPAGNE, awarded the GOLD MEDAL AT THE PARIS EXHIBITION. DRY VERZENAY MOUSSEUX: Quarts.....\$17 per Case of 1 doz.

MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, August 21, 1879.

Intimations.

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS. COODS RECEIVED on STORAGE at OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, SALMON, O Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; PEA NUTS, PECAN NUTS, BRAZIL and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire Godowns to be let

MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

TAR. F. KLAMPERMEYER has RE- MG No. 904,925, Mr A d'Argence, 2 cases MOVED to his New PREMISES, No. 63, PRAYA CENTRAL, close to the Canton Wharf. The Patronage of the Community is most respectfully solicited.

F. KLAMPERMEYER. Hongkong, January 24, 1880.

ORIENTAL HOTEL. TWO NEW BOWLING ALLEYS HAVE BEEN LAID.

ACCOMMODATION FOR BOARDERS AND FAMILIES. WINES AND SPIRIT OF THE BEST QUALITY. J. F. SHUSTER, Proprietor. Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

COSMOPOLITAN DOCKS.

B. SPRATT & Co. have lately W added an Extensive MACHINE SHOP and other APPLIANCES to the forme Advantages of these Docks. The DIMENSIONS of the DOCK are :- 46

Feet, on the Blocks; 92 Feet Wide; Or dinary Tides, 21 Ft.; Spring Tides, 241 Ft. Office, 20, Praya Central, Hongkong, Hongkong, October 4, 1879.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Aleither the Captain, the Agents, not Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crea of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-

John Clague.—Vogel & Co. MABEL, American barque, Capt. Francis Hallett. - Captain.

ALICE REED, American barque, Captala Killorap - Vogel & Co. MINNIE CARVILL, British barque, Capt.

P. T. Clark.-Gibb, Livingston & Co. CHATEAUBBIAND, French barque, Captain Leroy. - Carlowitz & Co. DIRIGO, American barque, Captain H. Staples. - Adamson, Bell & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. & COMPANY.

NOTICE. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by Steamship O BELGIC, from San Francisco, de are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding discharge of the Steamer will be landed and stored at Consignees risk and expense. G. B. EMORY

Agent. Hongkoug, February 16, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "SUMIDA-MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Gods

from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after Tuesday, the 17th Instant, will be landed and stored at Consignees' expense and risk.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. MITSU BISBI MAIL S. S. Co., 50A, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

FROM LONDON & PORTS OF CALL THE S. S. Castello having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by her are heeby informed that their Goods are being anded at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the

Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 23rd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

BRITISH BARK "LUCIA" FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send signed for countersignature, and to take 2 p.m. To-DAY, immediate delivery of their Goods. · Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

signees' risk and expense. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Do. Hongkong, February 7, 1830.

Notices to Consignees.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

S. S. A V A. NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per 8. Euphrate, from London, in connec on with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, inless intimation is received from the Con-

Ignees, before 2 p.m. To-DAY, requesting it be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by Goods remaining unclaimed after WED-RESDAY, the 25th Instant, at Noon, will be

ubject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, February 18, 1880. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

ONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of lading to the Undersigned for counterdgnature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex Yangtie. Tobacco, from Marseilles. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Agent. Hongkong, February 12, 1880.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR MANILA (DIRECT.) The Spanish Steamer " Emuy," Captain Blanco, will be despatched as above TO MORROW, the 21st Instant, at Noon, in-

stead of via Amov, as previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to REMEDIOS & Co.

Hougkong, February 20, 1880. FOR HOIHOW AND PAKHOL The Steamship " Hainan," Captain Conner, will be lespatched for the above

Ports on TUESDAY, the 24th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 20, 1880. ___ fe24

OCEAN STE MSHIP COMPANY. FOR SHANGHAL

(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

PRINCE FREDER'CE, British ship, Capt. Capt. T. W. FREEMAN, will be despatched on or about the 28th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

REGATTA.

MONDAY, 23RD FEB., 1880.

Hongkonz, February 20, 1880.

FIRST RACE. - 2 P.M. - Open to all Cutters, 2 Mil. s straight. Time allowance 2:. per oar per mile. Purse-\$25.00 to first, \$10.00 to second.

SECOND RACE Single Banked Boats, same course. Purse-\$20.00 to first, \$5.00 to second. THIED RACE .- Open to Members of Recreation Club, and Officers of all Ships

of War and the Garrison. Plate, \$25.00. Distance, & Mile. Four and Six-oared Boats. FOURTH RAGE. - Open to all Comers. Miles and return. Purse-\$40.00 to first, \$10 00 to second.

SAILING RACE.-Free to all open Boats, not having centre boards. Those of 30ft in length or over to constitute 1st Class. Those less in length, 2nd Class, Course triangular, 3 Miles. dries. Purse-\$25.00 to winner in 1st Clase, \$25.00 to winner in 2nd Class. All to

start together. Between the 3rd and 4th Race a Catamaran or Copper Punt Race will take place. No oars to be used-500 yards. \$5.00 to the winner. The Rules for Boat Racing as adopted by the V. R. C. will be strictly adhered to.

All communications to be addressed to "The Regatta Committee, U. S. S. Richmond."

No Entries will be accepted after SUNDAY, the 22nd Instant. In applying for Entry please state Name of Boat, Class, Race, and distinguishing

Pennant. All Competitors are requested to assemble at U.S.S. Richmond shortly before Two. Hongkong, February 20, 1880.

G. FALCONER & Co., WATCH AND CHRONOMETER MANUFACTURERS,

JEWELLERS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS. 46, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 20, 1880.

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Glenearn having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goodswith the exception of Oplum-are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharves or Boats delivery may be

obtained. The Glenearn brings through Cargo ex Australia and Alsatia, from NEW YORK. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Cargo remaining undelivered after the

27th Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, February 20, 1880.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Feb. 20, Glenearn, British steamer, 1409, K. J. Gauon, London Jan. 4, via porta of call, and Singapore Feb. 14, General -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Feb. 20, Brisbane, British steamer, 891, J. A. Reddell, Singapore Feb. 14. General and Timber.—GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Feb. 20, China, German steamer, 648, Ackermann, Shanghai Feb. 16, General.-

SIEMSSEN & Co. Feb. 20, Lombardy, British steamer, 1726, W. B. Hall, Bombay Jan. 30, Galle Feb. 6 Penang 12, and Singapore 14, Mails and

General, -P. & O. S. N. Co. Seb. 20, Fottung, British steamer, 286 D. Motougall, Swatow Feb. 19, General. - KWOK ACHRONG. Feb. 20, Hwai Yuen, Chinese steamer,

768, Wilson, Shanghai Feb. 17, General.

C. M. S. N. Co. DEPARTURES. Feb. 20, Europe, for Swatow. 20, Ava, for Shanghai. 20, Hochung, for Shanghai. 20, China, for Canton.

CLEARED. Paladin, for Nagasaki. Sumida Maru, for Kobe, &c. Chelmsford, for Iloilo. Penedo, for Saigon. Swatow, for Swatow.

PASSENGERS.

Per Glescarn, from London, dro., Messrs K. K. Leigh, C. W. Richards, L. E. Waller, John Fletcher, Y. Macintosh, D. McLellan, A. McGilp, and 23 Chinese. Per Bribane, from Singapore, Mrs J. A. Reddell, Mr Moffat, Mr Mackay, and 32

Chinese. Per Lombardy, for Hongkong: from Southampton, Mr Inglis, Liene, and Mrs Brewster, and Staff Com. Scudamore; from Brindial, Mr W. H. Young; from Bombay, Mears M. Abdoolally, and Consul Van Aichleyer; from Penang, 5 Chinese from Singapore, 22 Chinese.-For Shanghai : from Southampton, Mrs Harris, and 2 Misses Harris and child; from Brindisi, Mesars Randall and Francis.-For Yokohama; from Southampton, Mrs Watt and 3

Per Hwai Yuen, from Shanghai, Capt. Beesley, and 16 Chinese. Per China, from Shanghai, 4 Chinese. Per Yellung, from Swatow, 46 Chinese.

DEPARTED. Per Ara, for Shanghai, H. E. de Lucca, Mesars N. Crawford, D. R. Crawford, and C. R. Crant, and 7 Chinese; from Marseilles, Mr Krebs, Mr and Mrs Deck ; from Naples, Mrs de Lucca, 2 infants and maid; from Suez, Mr Menshausen ; from Colombo. Mr Sincale; from Singapore, Mr Hullin.

Per "olga, for Yokohama: from Marseilles, Mr and Mrs Lewis, Mr and Mrs Austen, Messrs Scribe, L. Dubols, Disse, A. Bertrand, Ch. Dubois, Kishimoto, and Finger; from Saigon, 13 French Marines. Per Hochung, for Shanghai, 20 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Glenearn reports : Fine clear weather within 12 hours of port. last 12 hours thick fog y weather. The British steamer Brisbans reports: Left Singapore at 7.20 p.m on 14th, Ar-

rived at anchorage at 9.45 a.m. on 20th. Light N.E. monsoon and fine weather throughout. The German steamer China reports Left Shanghai on the 16th inst. at 8 pm; was at anchor for 6 hours on account of thick and rainy weather. Arrived at Hongkong on the 20th at 10 a.m., had moderate monsoon and fine weather.

The British steamer Yothung reports : Fresh N.E. winds and foggy weather. The Chinese steamer Habat Yuen reports Moderate Northerly winds and dark hazy weather throughout the parsage.

CARGOES.

Per British barque Claro Babuyar cleared 29th January :- For London, 8,230 boxes Cassia Lignes, 250 boxes Cassia Buls, 481 pkgs. Canes, 132 pkgs. Rattanware, and 97 pkgs. Sundries.

Feb., by the Very Rev. Dean Butcher, Per American barque Moses B. Tower, cleared 5th February :- For New York, 3,125 pkgs. Fire Crackers, 2,176 bags Sugar, 1,433 boxes Fans, 790 boxes Camphor, 860 boxes Salgon Cassis, 400 bales Cuarla Lighes, 147 pkgs. Galangal, 150 pkgs. Canes, 385 rolls Matting, 100 boxes Galinute, 128 boxes Essential Oil, and 653

pkgs. Amoy Tea. Per British ship John Nicholson, cleared 7th February :- For London, 4,608 bags Sugar, 3,238 boxes Cassia Lignes, 550 koxes Cassia Bude, 950 rolls Matting, 121 pkgs, Canes, 615 boxes Preserved Ginger, 50 boxes Cinnamon, 83 bundles Rattans, 22 bales Waste Silk, and 622 pkgs. Sun-

Per S. S. Ulysses, Hongkong to London, sailed 17th February :- 189 bales Waste Silk, 1,982 tuba Copper, 3 pkgs. Silk Piece Gords, 359 pkgs. Preserves, and 22 pkgs.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

MAILS will close:-For MANILA direct .-Per Emuy, at 11.80 a.m. To-morrow, the

21st inst., instead of as previously notified. FOR STRAITS AND CALCUTTA .-Por Arratoon Apear and Moray, at 2.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 21st inst.

For YOKOHAMA.-Per S. S. China, To-morrow, the 21st inst. Registry ceases at 5.15 p.m. Mail closes at 5.30. Paid Corthe moveable box on board the Packet.

For SHANGHAL .-Por S. S. Lembardy, To-morrow, the 21st inst. Registry coases at 4.45 p.m. Mail closes at 5. Late Letters recelved from 5.10 to 5.30 with 10 cents Late Fee. Paid Correspondence may then be posted in the moveable box on board the Packet.

Per Chin-tung, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the 2!at last. For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW .--Per Douglas, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the

21at inst. For BANGKOK .-Per Dale, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 23rd inst.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKER -

The British Contract Packet Nizam will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. This is the best opportunity for forwardin ! Correspondence to Mauritius, E. Africa, the Cape, St. Helena, and Ascention.

N.B. - This Packet carries no mails for the Australian Colonies.

MEMOS. FCR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight.-Mitsu Blahl Mail leaves for Yokohama via Kobo.

Noon, -- Emul leaves for Manila. 3 p.m .- Moray and Arratoon Apcarleave for Siogapore, &c.

Meeting. 3 p.m .- Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co., Limited, at Club Chambers.

Miscellaneous.

Flower Show. General Memoranda.

SUNDAY, February 22:-Daylight, -Douglas leaves for

Monday, February 23:-Noon. - Auction of Household Furniture. at Mr Harcock's residence, the Castle. 3 p.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Fire Imurance Co., Limited, at No. 7, Queen's Road.

3.30 p.m.-Meeting of General Chamber of Commerce Rooms at the City Hall; Goods per Castello undelivered after this date subject to rent. TUESDAY, February 24 :--7 p.m .- Hainan leaves for Holhow, &c.

WEDNESDAY, February 25':-Goods per Ava undelivered after Noon, subject to rent and landing charges. 11 p.m - English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

FRIDAY, February 27:date subject to mat. SATURDAY, February 28 :--

1 p.m. - Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co,'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco. WEDNESDAY, March 8 :-

Noon,-French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. FRIDAY, March 5 :-3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the

Mesars J., Matheson & Co.'s office.

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continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, June1, 1876. PASSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to consult the files of local, China, Japan,

American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, filed for reference.

BIRTH. At Tientsin, on the 28th Jan., Mrs G. W. COLLINS, of a Son. MARRIAGES. At the Cathedral, Shanghai, on the 14th

Hongkong, Jan. 1, 1880.

D.D., JOHN FINDLAY to EDWARDINA CARO-LINE ADA, younger Daughter of H. Jü-gens, On the 8th Jan, at the English church of the Lai-un Opium firm. of Bruges, by the chaplain, the Rev. A. V Hughes-Hallet, S. C. GRENVILLE-MUBRAY

to BLANGHE, third Daughter of John Caldcott Smith, late of Shanghal. On the 8th Jan, at St. John's Episcopal Church, Dumfries by the Incumbent, father of the bride, the Key. WILLIAM JENEINGS, M.A., Colonial Chaplain, Hongkong, to CHARLOTTE FRANCES GORDON, fifth Daugh-

ter of the Rev. A. McEwen, M. A. DEATHS. On the 6th Jan., at Lauriston House Cheltenbam, CALOLINE MATILDA, Widow of Phomas Richardson Colledge (formerly

On the 26th Dec , suddenly, Sam, Mac-KENZIE, formerly of Canton. On the - Jan. at Torquey, Davon, HENRY MATTHEWS TARP, of paralysis, many years in China and Japan, aged 37.

of Canton), M.D., F.R.S., Edin.

The publication of this issue commenced at 8.55 p.m. The China Mail.

HONGKONG, PRIDAY, FEB. 20, 1880. REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "CHIMA MAIL."

(Per E. E. A. & O. Telegraph Co.'s Line.) ANOTHER ATTEMPT ON THE LIFE OF THE CEAR - MINE EXPLODED BENEATH. THE WINTER PALICE. LORDON, Feb. 10.

A mine has been exploded beneath the Winter Palace (et. Petersburg). The dining adoon was shattered, but the Imperial Family, not having assembled,

Thirty-five guards were killed

wounded.

A TOIDENT TO THE GOVERNON OF CANADA AND THE PRINCESS LOUISE. LONDON Feb. 10. The Marquis and Marchioness of Lorne

progressing favourably. PARNELL TO VISIT INDIA AND AUSTRALIA. LONDON, Feb. 10. Parnell visits India and Australia unless

an early dissolution takes place.

have been upast while aleighing. Both are

LOCAL AND GENERAL Tun delivery of the English Mail was begun at 11.25 this morning.

Ma John Inglis was this day adjudicated a bankrupt on his own petition.

WE are informed by the Agents (Messra Butterfield & Swire) that the O. S. S. Co. steamer Nertor, from Liverpool, left Bingapore yesterday alternoon (19th) for Hong-

THE telegrams published in the Shanghal Daily News, regarding the handsomeness of Mr Gordon Bennett (of the N. Y. Herald) towards the Irish Relief Fund, gives the flower-boats; these were greatly admired by Sir Thomas Wade on his recent visit to sum as \$100,000 ! If this be correct, it is handsome indeed.

Ir will be seen from an advertisement that a Regatta will be held on Monday, under the auspices of the Officers of the U. S. flagship Richmond. The occasion is the celebration of the anniversary of George Washington, who was born on Feb. 22nd 1732. The events are six in number, and are practically open to all, except the third restricted to members of the V. R. C., naval officers and officers of the garrison. For animpromptu aquatic affair, the prizes (or Goods per Glenears undelivered after this "purses," as they are called) are exceedingly handsome and ought to draw together a sufficient number of competitors to provide good and interesting sport. V. R. C.

rules will be adhered to. THE weather to-day has not been very pleasant for outdoor recreation, but the yacht race for the gold cup gave very good sport, China Sugar Refining Co , Limited, at the course being got over in capital time. At the western end the boats had as much wind as they wanted, in fact Ariel had a little too much, as she unfortunately carried Cow-e-chow mark the first time, whilst holding a good position. The weather came down so thick and dirty that the time of rounding the different marks could not be taken, but after a very close race between Naomi and Naiad all the way, Naomi pulled off the match, taking the Cup, and Naiad won second prize. The times of arrival at the winning mark were-

> Ariel 3h. 47m. 30s. Wave 3h. 58m. 30s. THE following is the official List of the members of the deputation of the Chinese

Naomi 3h. 5m. 25s. Naiad 3h. 9 m. 20s

which we referred in last night's issue :-Fung Tang, of the I-ch'dung-ching firm, Charterers of Australian vessels; Li Uts'éung, of the Ts'éung-un Opium firm ; Hu Ming-kwong, residing at the Tsunch'éung-t'ai hong; Ts'ui Hin-yau, of the Man-ts'un Opium firm; Fung Yuk-shu, of the Fuk-lung Opium firm; Hu Man-ohi, of the I-t'ai Nam-pak-hong firm; Kwok Iu-King-sing, of the Man-wo-fung Opium fung Opium Company; Ch'éuk Wai-yuk, of the Fuk-ki Piece goods firm; Ling Tinta'oi, of the Man-un Opium firm; Fung Inting, of the Ko-lung-fini Piece goods firm; Wong Chin-yung, of the Man-wo-fung Opium Company; Wong To, Editor of the (Chinese) Circulating Herald; Fung P'd-hi (Ming-shan), Comprador of the Chartered Mercantile Bank : Ng Taze-ying, Comprador of Messrs Douglas Lapraik & Co.; Kwai-iu, of the Sui-lung Piece goods firm Kwok Ts'ung (Kwok A-cheung), of the Fat-hing firm; Tse Po-t'ai, of the I-ch'euns Nam-pak-hong firm; Ng K'ai-kwong, of the Fuk-lung Opium firm ; Ch'an Chiu-ta'éung,

Hongkong Honticultural Society Exhibition.

ANNUAL FLOWER SHOW. The Flower-Show and Art and Curio Exhibition combined was opened this afternoon at two o'clock and has been a wonderful auccess considering the weather which has been of a character sufficiently unpleasent to prevent many ladies from attending The exhibition of flowers, plants, vegetables and fruits is on the whole very good. There were about thirty exhibitors, and the hall

vantage possible. The glory of the present show lies in the exhibition of a vast and valuable collection of all those articles so precious to the heart of every lover of the Fine Arts. Chinese and Japanese curios crowd the room, and

altogether the scene is one of enchantment. The hearty way in which European members of the Community responded to the appeal of the Committee for the loan of precious articles of Art evinced the greatest goodwill towards the idea and their sympathy with the objects of the Exhibit tion; and the Chinese though less conspiquous in their willingness to make the Exhibition a success are perhaps not to be so much blamed after all, for the fact of their New Year occurring at a short period previous to the Show would prevent them from acting in an equally liberal spirit. In a few instances our native friends have strained every nerve to mak the Exhibition a success, and we may name more particularly Mr Look Hing, for the obliging way in which he placed the choicest of his fine collection of carved and inlaid cabinets, tables and stands at the service of the Committee for the display of exhibits. Foremost among the contributors may be ranked the Hop. W. Keswick, who sends a superb Mikado Cabinet gold lacquer, perhaps the finest thing never fails to elicit admiration. There

also sends several unusually large and fine bronzes, and enamels, and a richly carved circular ornament of jade of great value. The Hon. P. Ryrie contributes many fine objects in Porcelalo, one of which, a full bottomed Jar of Sang de Powlet (as distinguished from Sang de Bouf) is unrivalled for colour and lustre. An exquisite jar of pale red and gold with a little green of an unknown period is also sent by this gentleman. The hon gentleman has also contributed some very fine specimens of ancient blue and white porcelain, notably two or three extremely fine ginger jars now so much sought after by connoisseurs at home. Amongst the other contributions of this gentleman must be specially mentioned an exquisitely painted ____ porcelain placque mounted in blackwood. Dr. O'Brien sent a pair of beautiful and rare vases of a white ground painted with Hongkong. He also sent the choicest specimen of enamel in the form of a vase of black ground in a state of preservation rare in so sucient and beautiful an object. The worthy Doctor is a large contributor, and no small part of the beautiful things he has cent in are to be found on the table devoted to the English exhibits. Mr Hayllar contributes several small and beautiful polutings, including an exquisite bit of English scenery by his brother, who is one of the leading artists of England. A magnificent work of Art, a painting on porcelain, "Titian's daughter" is also from Mr. Hayllar's race (for four and six-cared boats), which is collection. A most elegant specimen of Foochow lacquer work in the shape of a whatnot which, we understand, was presented to the eminont Coursel by the literati of Foochow in recognition of the great service he rendered them in the famous Wu Shih Shan case, is also shown, "We may also mention his blackwood screens; inlied with mother-of-pearl which are to be seen on the ivery table. (Mr Landstein is a large contributor; his chief exhibit is a magnificent cabinet, Tonquin work inlaid with mother-of-pearl, which stands in the northeast corner of the room; where also may be seen an enamel vase of exceedingly large proportions, also a massive Japaness cabinet finely carved. There is a unique piece of white choral in the shape of tree growing from a bed of coral sand in a gold pative visitors. A beautiful vase at the away her topmast just after rounding the of the same gentlemen, and it is an ex-

box, which will be very interesting to south-east corner of the table devoted to Chinese porcelain is also from the collection quisite specimen. Several fine old Ming plates and old bronzes complete the very liberal contributions from Mr Landatein, Mr Coxon has sent a large placque, beautifully painted, the scene being the Rape of Europa : also a Majolica vase and two Dresden vases, which were the sumiration of all who visited the Exhibition; they were the principal objects on the South-West table. Mr Beart sent a large number of brongs and would have been a contributor in other departments had not his large and fine collection been shipped to England quite recently. Mr A. R. Marty contributes a great variety of curiosities. A large carved and gilt black-wood cabinet couples a central position in the North end of the room; this was manufactured in Canton from a design by M. Marty himself. He also sends a large col-Mercantile Community, (24 in number), to lection of brouzes and porcelain, including the largest vase in the room, which is of great antiquity and interest. This gentleman also sends a large satio hanging richly embroldered and covered with beautifully wrought Chinese characters. This was formerly the property of some high official, being a complimentary presentation to him for his good government. In the southeast corner of the room stands a family ta'eung, of the Ut-wo Opium firm; Li Sze- teapot contributed by Mr John Wellington ch'iu, of the Tsun-ch'eung-t'ai Cotton goods Wells, (of Measrs J. W. Wells and Co. firm : Chiu Shing-lam, of the Kwong Mau- Family Sorcerers) through Mr John Rot'al Nam-pak-hong firm; Wong Yat-p'ing, binson of Morrison Hall. Mr. Robinson of the Kwong-ki Nam-pak-hong firm; Ch'an also sends a rare stone bottle, beautifully mounted in silver, believed to be about Company: Ngan Tsung-in, of the Man-wo- And poors old, and several other beautiful articles. Eleven pictures have been contributed by Mr W. Allan Gay, an artist of repute now visiting the Colony. These are studies painted under various circumstances, but all show the skill of a master. We recognise a view of one of the streets in China town sketched the day before the Chinese New Year, and two or three views from the shore at Kowlcon. The rest are Canton subjects. There is also shown a powerfully painted portrait of Sir Brooke Robertson, which is sure to create much interest. A grand life study from the same brush is near by. These are by Mrs Thomas of Canton. Several rapid studies in oil, made principally in Shanghai and in Yokohama by Dr Kindleberger, late Fleet Surgeon of the American Navy on this Station, also adorn the walls. The large picture of Yokohama Bay which greats the visitor at the door is also by this gentleman. Capt. Kerr of the 27th Rogh contributes two small pictures of dogs out for a day's sport and thoroughly enjoying themselves, and four small heads said to be copies of Rembrandt on a small scale; and "the Virgin in Restacy" said to be by A. Carracol. Two views in Venice are hung on the North Wall, but seem to be rather thickly painted. A view of Hongkong may also be found by the inquisitive in a corner of the room above Mr Limsterd's cabinet. Chinese pictures are distributed plentifully around the room. Two Joss figures at the top of the room-contributed to the Exhibition by Mr J. S. Cox, by whom they were brought from Japan-ait in solemn state to receive the attentions of their devotees.

> St Andrew's Hall was the chief centre of the floral part of the exhibition, the verandah facing the Cricket Ground being also filled with flowers. The regetables and fruits were laid out partly in the verandah overlooking the Fountain. and partly in the Theatre building. The Azaless shown by Mr Romano are said to be the finest plants ever shown in the Colony; and the Geraniums of Mr Dickie (though not of the same general excellence as those of last year) displayed some of the most perfect blooms conceivable. Mr C. P. Chater took the first prize for Camellias. Roses this year are a poor show, owlog doubtleasto the changeable nature of the weather; but the Camellia and Narcissus exhibition were unusually good. In Cat Flowers theer was a better display than has ever yet been made, as exhibitors are now beginning to discover what to send in for competition. The Table decorations (Cut flowers) of Mr Hayliar were simply lovely the richness of the colours, the perfect condition of most of the blooms, and the taste of the arrangement combining to make them one of the features of the exhibition. At second prize in this class was a basket-shaped design, by Chinese, crowned with a bird of green twigs holding a bit of heliotrope in ita bill, which attracted some attention; and the Decorations or Wild Flowers, though not equal to former years, were of pretty design and in good taste. In Tree Ferns and Palms, Mr Dickie and Mr Romano (the two leading exhibitors) showed up well, their plants finding a place on the laudings of the Grand Stair-case. We noticed among the Ferus a beautiful specimen of the Adiantum Farleyense-a web of delicately-wrought

light-green gossamer-like beauty which

was completely filled, the various classes boing laid out with a taste and care that They are curious and interesting objects. We shall resume the description of the showed off the exhibits to the greatest adchief exhibits to morrow.

was also a fine specimen of the Gymnogramma Chrysophylla, shown amon at the same lot, and included in the first prizo. "East Point" seems to have effected a sort of alliance this year, the Secretary having apparently amalgamated with the Manorhouse under the all-ambracing name of "Ewo." This well-known sign was frequently noticed on the prize tickets, and in one department it showed very consuipenously, viz., the Orchids. These were better this year than they have over been, the specimen of the Beetle Orohid being exquisite, while several of the others were worthy of all praise. A little more encoursgement ought to be given this class. One result of the change from the Public Gardon to the City Hall was that the Show was deprived of many attractive flowers and plants, from the Government conservatories. Notwithstanding this fact, however, the exhibition is very creditable to all concerned; and even the show of Foliage Plants was of

commendable excellence. Coming to the Vegetables, it is gratifying to note that the Judges have evidently been guided in their awards by quality more than size; and although the Class 53-Best two cabbages red,-1, Ewo; goodliness of quantity has not been overlooked, the other points which go to make up a first-class table vegetable have been prominently and we think carefully, noted. The awards in all classes indeedof Flowers as well as Vegetables and Fruits -appear to have given general satisfaction. In all the leading classes of Vegetables the exhibits were exceedingly good, and above the average in nearly all cases. Some of the Cabbages were of enormous size, but few of these were prize-takers; and the same remark might be applied to the Cauliflowers and Carrots. Turnips were small, but (es-Celery seemed to us rather behind this year; but Potatoes were in splendid form. We noticed a fine specimen of Scotch Kail, from Mr Dickie, which would have gladdened the heart of the Patron Saint. The Fruits did not appear to us to be more than a fair show.

... open to morrow evening during the same The Judges were as follows: For Flowers, MrT. C. Hayllar, and Mr

The Band of the 27th Inniskillings play-

ed during the afternoon, and that from the

U. S. Richmond will play during the even-

ing, between 8 and 10 o'clook. We under-

stand that the Exhibition will be again

H. P. Tennant. For Vegetables, Mr J. M. Armstrong and Mr W. K. Hughes. The following are the members of the Committee; -T. C. Hayllar, Esq., President, and Mesers C. P. Chater, J. B. Coughtrie, H. Dickie, W. K. Hughes, A. G. Romano, J. M. A. da Silva, A. E. Vaucher, and E. L. Woodin, with Mr J. M. Armstrong, Hon. Treasurer, and Mr C. S. Taylor, Hon. Sec.

The following is a list of the awards :---PLANTS IN POIS. Class 1-Best six flowering and or foliage plants, -1, H. Dickie; 2, Ewo; 3 (additional), Derabjee. Class 2-Best six ferus,-1, Ewo; 2, H.

de C. Forbes. Class 3-Best six annuals,-1, H. Dickie; Class 74-Best two couve tronchoudas,-1 2. Ewo. Olass 4—Best three foliage plants,—1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3 (additional). Ewo.

Ewo: 2, H. Dickie. Class 6-Best three ferns,-1, Ewo; 2, Class 77-Best twenty shoots asparagus,-A. G. Romano. Class 7-Best three camellias,-1, C. P.

Chater: 2. H. Dickie. C. P. Chater. Class 9-Best three geraniums, -1, H. Dickle; 2, Ewo; 3 (additional), A. G.

Class 10-Best three roses,-1, A. G. Romano; 2, Parses Cemetery. Class 11-Best three chrysanthemums,-1, H. Dickie; 2, A. O. Romanc. Class 12-Best two chrysanthemums, -1, A. G. Romano : 2. H. Dickio.

Class 18-Best chrysanthemum, -1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano. Class 14-Best flowering plant,-1, A. G. Romano; 2, Ewo; 8 (additional), H.

A. G. Romano ; 8 (additional), H. de Class 16-Best camellia,-1, R. Howie; 2 Class 17-Best rose,-1, withheld; 2, T. C. Pavllar ; 3 (additional) H. Dickie.

Class 19-Best aster,-1, J. H. Cox; 2, A. G. Romano; 8 (additional), H. Dickie.

A. G. Romano. Class 22-Best geranium, -1, H. Dickiel 2. A. G. Romano; 8 (additional), C. P.

Ohater. Class. 23-Best fern,-1, Ewo; 2, A. G. Romano ; S (additional), H. de C. Forbes. Class 24-Best one or more azalea.-1. A

G. Romono; 2, Swo; 3, H. Dickie. Olans 25-Best one or more pink, carnation or sweet william, -1, A. G. Romano; 2. Ewo. Class 26-Best one or more hyacinth, -1,

A. G. Romano ; 2, Ewo. Class 27-Best one or more gladiolus,-1, A. G. Romano; 2, withheld. Class 28-Best one ormore pelargonium,-Both prizes withheld.

Class 29 Best one or more orobid, -1, Ewo; 2, T. C. Hayllar. Class 80-Best one or more daphne, -1, H. Dickie ; 2, withheld. Class 31-Best one or more lillies,-1,

Ewo; 2, Dorabjes Nowrojes. Class 82-Best one or more parcissus, -1, Dalrymple, H. Lowcock, A. Coxon, W. H. Dickie ; 2, Derabjee Nowrojee. Class 33-Best one or more palm,-1, H. Dickie ; 2, H. de C. Forbes. CUT FLOWERS.

Class 84 - Best four camelia blooms, -1, H. ishwalla, an Dickie; 2, T. C. Hayllar; 8 (addition- Ming-shan. al) O. P. Chater. Class 35-Best four chrysanthemum blooms, Class 66-Best four rose blooms, -1, A. G.

Romano; 2, Dombjee Nowrojee; 8 (additional) C. P. Chater. Ciass 37-Best aix busches cut flowers, dis similar,-1, Kwo; 2, H. Dickie; 8, (additional) A. G. Romano.

Class 38-Best stumps or rockwork with 2, B. de C. Forbis 18, (additional) H. Dickie. Class 89-Best hand bouquet, - Prize, (a

bouquet holder),-1, J. H. Cox ; 2, Geo. Allan, Class 40-Best table decorations, -Prize, (a.

centre vase)-1, T. C. Hayllar; 2, Mow Fong. Class 41-Best table decorations or wild flowers,-Prize, (scentro vase)-1, H

de C. Forbes; 2, Mrs Ede. In these classes a Silver Challenge Cup was offered for the most creditable exhibition of plants and flowers, but this was not awarded at a late hour.

VIGET BLES. Class 42-Best six kinds of vegetables,-1. H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, C. P. them to-day, and it would be his, (the

Class 43-Best two bends of celery, large,-1, H. Dickle : 2, R. Alford : 3, J. H. Class 44-Beat two heads of celery, dwarf, 1. H. Dickle: 2, withheld; 8, with-

Class 45—Best six beet roots (long), -- I. A. Smith; 2, &. Dickie; 8, withhold. kie; 3, H. de C. Forbes

Havllar.

Class 48-Best six carrets (short or early).-1, A. Smith; 2, H. Dickie; 3, C. P. Class 49—Best six paranips,—I, R. Cooke; 2, C. P. Chater; 3, N. Dorabjeo. Class 50-Best two cauliflowers,-1, H.

Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, Soey

which was carried, nem. con.

Reiners and carried.

to the Board, which was seconded by Mr

Mr Hoppius proposed the re-election of

Mr Molver proposed, and Mr Wotton

It was stated that the dividend warrants

COMMERCE.

part of the year the Members of the Cham-

tion of the Administrator to the facts, and

be found in appendix.

mittee concurred.

the assent of Her Majesty's Government.

favoured the Chamber with a report of the

Post-master General, in which that officer

suggested that 6 a.m. would be a more suit-

able hour and in this suggestion your Com-

Since then it has been determined to

Bills of Lading .- With regard to proposed

changes in Bill of Lading Clauses for sail-

The Chamber has not had any commu-

despatch the mai s on Wednesdays at 10.30

Departure of the Mail Steamers .- By the

seconded, and it was unanimously resolved

the retiring Directors, Messrs Molver and

Dalrymple, which was seconded by Mr

Hancock and passed unanimously.

Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, T. C.

Class 5 :- Best two cabbages (exclusive of drumboad),-1, H. Dickie; 2, Asui; 3. Achee. Class 52—Best two cabbages drumbead,—1 Akan; 2, R. Cooke; 3, W. C. East-

2. d. Dickie; 8, A. G. Romano. Class 54-Beet two lettuce cos,-1, Dickio: 2, A. Smith: 3, A. G. Ro-Class 55-Best two lettuce cabbage,-1, H.

to reappoint Mr. G. O. Scott and Mr J. H. Dickle: 2, Ewo: 3, C. P. Chater. Class 56-Best dish paraley. -1, N. Dorab-Cox, Auditors for the year 1880, jee : 2, H. Dickle : 8, C. P. Chater. and bonus receipts will be ready to-morrow. lass 57—Best dish of chilliss or capsicums,-1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Ro-HONGKONG CHAMBER

Class 58-Best fifty pods of peas,-1, H Dickie; 2, N. Dorabjee; 3, H. de C. pecially one yellow kind) of good quality. | Class 59-Best filly pods beans french,-1,

H. Dickie; 2, Anni; 3, Ewo. Class 60-Best twenty-five pods of beans, merce, for the year ending 31st December, broad -1, H. Dickie; 2, Withheld; 8, Class 61-Best twenty five putatoes, -1, H. the General Meeting, which will be held

Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, C. P. on Monday, next, the 23rd inst., at 3.30 Class 62—Best six turnips, —1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano : 3, C. P. Chater. Class 63—Best six turnips swedes,—1, H. towards a satisfactory settlement of the Dickie: 2 and 3, withheld.

Custom's Blockade Question. In the early Collaco and L. Kirchman. Class 64—Best twelve onions,-1, H. Dickie; 2, Acheo; 3, A. G. Romano. Class 65—Best twelve leeks,—I, H. Dickle; ber haden interview with Sir Thomas F. Class 66-Best twelve shallots,-I, H. Dic- on his way threagh the Colony, and a full in 24 Taz Mi Lane, West Point, about 6.30 kie : 2. Dr Esstlacke.

Class 67 - Best twenty-five radiches turnin | will be found in the appendix. rooted,-1, B. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, H. de C. Forbes. Class 68—Best twenty five radishes long,— (A. E. Vaucher disqualified); 1, H Dickie: 2 and 3, withheld,

Class 69-Best six kohl rabi,-1, A. E. Vaucher: 2. Dorabjee Newrojee: 3. H. Dickie. Class 7d-Best two savoys,-1, Asui; 2, H. | following effect :-Dickie; 3, A. G. Romano.

Class 71—Best fifty brussels sprouts,—1; H. Dickie; 2, Akau; 3, withheld. Class 72-Best twelve tomates,-1, H. Dickie; 2, withheld; 3, A. G. Roma-Class 78—Best two vegetable Marrows.—

Prizes withhold. H. Dickie : 2. A. G. Romano : 3.

Class 75-Best six horse radish,-1, H, Dickie: 2 and 3, withheld. Class 5-Best three flowering plants,-1, Class 76-Best two Scotch kall,-1, H. Dickie: 2 and 3, withheld. 1, 2 and 3, withheld,

begged that the Chamber might be furnished Ulass 78— Sest arrowroot,—1. il. Dickie : 2, A. G. Romano; 3, withheld. Class 8-Best three dahlias,-1, Ewo; 2, Class 79-Best salad, 6 kinds at least,-1, possessed on the subject, but the absence of H. Dickie; 2 and 3, withhold, prevented any satisfactory reply being given, Class 80-Best collection of awest and pot

herbs (including sage),-1, A. G. Romano ; 2 and 3, withheld. Class 81- Best collection of sweet and pot herbs, (without sage), -1, H. Dickie; 2 and 3, withheld.

FRUIT.

[Note. - It was a condition in every class of fruit that the exhibit should have been grown in Hongkong.] Class 82-Best collection of fruit,-1, N.

Dorabiee; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, with-Class 15-Best foliage plant,-1, Ewo; 2, Class 88-Best strawberries,-Prizes, with-

Class 84—Best oranges, —Prizes, withheld. Class 85-Best lemons,-1, N. Dorabjee; _ 2 and 3, withhold. Class 86-Best plantains, -Prizes, with-Class 18-Best two or three asters,-1, A. Class 87-Best pomegranates,-Frizes, withheld.

Class 88-Best custard apples,-Prizes, Class 20-Best somual, -1, H. Lickie; 2, Class 89-Best pumaloes, -Prizes, with-Class 21-Best dahlla,-1, H. Dickie; 2, Class 90-Best guavas,-Prizes, withheld.

Class 91—Best chinese gooseberry,—Prizes withheld. Class 92-Best pine apples,-Prizes with-

Special Prize, \$2, C. P. Chater, for Ci-In these classes a Silver Challenge Cup

was offered for the most creditable exhibition of vegetables and fruit, and it was not awarded at a late hour. the mail was fixed at 6 p.m., on Sunday.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, once addressed the Administrator on the subject, suggesting that the hour be altered LIMITED. to 8 a.m. His Excellency afterwards

ELEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING. The eleventh ordinary meeting of the China Fire Insurance Company was held this afternoon, when there were present: the Hon. P. Ryrie, Chairman of the Company, who presided, Messrs H. Hoppins, H. L. Wotton, Reiners, R. Deacon, A. Molver, H. Wicking, A. Newton, McConachie, E. E. ishwalls, and the Hon. Ng Choy and Fung

report and the accompanying balance sheet. | Calcutta and the United Kingdom, which, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3 It was not necessary to read it as it had in the opinion of the Chamber representing been in the hands of the shareholders for the merchants of Calcutta, are unjust to some time. He had nothing to add to what shippers, inasmuch as they would entirely was there said save to say to the share- relieve the Shipowner of his legitimate with hard labour for unlawful possession. holders that the affairs of the Company responsibility. were in a very satisfactory condition. The premis had increased, the amount of their nication from the General Shipowners' 1879 had been comparatively insignificant. | allowed to pass without a general protest, feros and or creepers, -1, Mow Fong : They would observe from the acounts that the changes would be extended to this the Directors proposed to pay the bonus for trade, your Committee considered the 1878 immediately after this meeting, and matter of such importance that they deemed the directors also proposed to get rid of the it advisable to address the Chairman of the old bonus system which prevailed up to ociety wi hout delay, protesting against the 30th June last. On the 1st July, as the proposed innovations. (Appendix).

The were aware, the new system was Agency Fees.—As to Agency Fees charge. but had to place him on the table), was Peshawar. The 12th Bengal Cavalry will name appeared in the Gazette of Dec. 12, introduced by which a cash discount of 20 shle by Agents at Eastern Ports in cases charged with stealing clothing to the value merch to Peshawur to-morrow; the 14th 1879, on promotion, now cancelled. per cent was granted. The amount to be paid of ships or steamers which put into harbour of \$10. to contributors was \$27,388.63, the discount | for repairs or in distress, and the cargoes for the half year was \$14,379.51. The shareholders would observe that there had been some changes since they last met. The gentleman who was Chairman left the Colony and Mr Gibb was appointed in his stead. He also had to leave the Colony through ill-health. It was with pleasure they saw that gentleman back again amongst

Chairman's) duty to ask them to confirm

his election to a place at this Board. He Telegraphic Service-The New Tariff .had only to refer now to the subject which The Chamber has received from the Bengal was brought up at last meeting, -the Chamber of C mmerce copies of corresponmeans for extinguishing fires. In the dence upon the aubject of the New Toleinterval this matter had had the attention graph Rules which will be found in of the Board. A deputation waited on H. Appendix. E. the Governor requesting his assistance in The Eastern Extension Telegraph Comthe matter and, as they probably would have pany, -Attention having been drawn to

Class 46-Best six beet roots (short or seen by the papers at the time, H. E. the inconvenience caused by the refusal of round), -1, N. Dorabjee; 2, H. Die most cordially agreed with the views laid the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company before him by the deputation and promised to receive telegrams after 7 P.M., your Class 47-Best six carrots (long) -1, H. to do everything in his power to carry them Committee requested the General Manager out. At that meeting His Excellency laid to arrange to have the office o en for the before the gentlemen composing the deputa- receipt and transmission of messages from tion a scheme for high-level water tanks. 6 A.M. to 9 P.M., and that gentleman was This scheme had gone before Her Majesty's | ood enough to make the office hours from Government and so far as he understood they | 6.30 A.M. to 8.30 P.M. had approved it with certain modifications. New Members .. - The following firms have They would see soon what would be done. become Members of the Chamber during the

He calculated on the scheme being carried out. He fermally moved the adoption of Hong, The Tak On Bink. the report and the passing of the accounts. Acc unts.-These have been audited by Court of Coursons, may be dismissed the The Hon. Ng Choy seconded the motion, Messra Hassell and Scott, and there is a The Chairman then proposed the confirm-Chamber. ation of the re-appointment of Mr Lowcock

> SUPREME COURT IN ORIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before Ris Bonor the Acting Paisne Judge, J. J. Francis, Eig.) Friday, Feb. 20.

ROBBERY WITH VIOLENCE, BEING ARMED, Fong Akwai, Chiu Abbung, Slu Apo.

and Ho Aleung were charged on two s unts with robbery with violence, being Mr NgAchoy, instructed by Mr Johnson,

prosecution for the Acting Att rney Gen-The following is the Report of the Comeral Hon. J. Russell. mittee of the Hongkong Chamber of Com-The prisoners pleaded not guilty, and the following gentlemen were then empannelled as a Jury :- Mesers T. Kerr, E. 1879, to be presented to the Members, at Brandao, J. C. Hughes, and J. Muirhead.

he was permitted to stand aside. The Blockade. - Your Committee regret that they are unable to report any progress but the gentleman did not answer to them: -Messra J. M. dos Remedios, L. F. A.

Ko Apo, was the woman who was robbed Wade H. B.M.'s Minister to Peking | She said she was a matried woman residing statement of what occurred at that meeting p.m. on the 25th January, she was called out of the house by some one and Some correspondence has taken place found five or six men on the fanding, with the local Government in consequence The first prisoner was one. She was of a Statement made in the House of Lords seized by the throat, her eyes covered, on the 9th May last, by the Secretary of and the money, \$50 taken from an inner State for Foreign Affairs, in reply to a jacket pocket. She found some sharp

for under the Chefoo Convention, to the the window. There was also taken from day, the 4th instant. Section you will find that is a unitatoral several dollars. After the first prisoner was Malacca. provision in favour of the British Govern- arrested she was taken to a coolie bouse in ment on account of the interference of the Wing Lok Street, where she was shown during the week, the N. E. monsoon blow-Customs Revenue Craisers with the junk | about twenty coolies, from among whom she | ing pretty strongly. trade of the Colony. It was a provision identified the second and third defendants inserted in order to redress grievances felt as two of the men who were at her house. by the Governor of Hongkong. He has The only witness in connection with the reported that the grievance it was inten led second count was that of a woman, Po to remedy has ceased and there is therefore lying, living in the same house, who sage from Sourabaya. no further reason to appoint the Commisasserted that she had been thrown down,

Your Committee at once drew the attenearring stolen from her. tradictory of that given at the Magistracy morning of the 12th inst. with any information the Government discard it entirely.

the Governor from the Colony at the time delay through the local Government, point- | the stair.

of by the Chamber and by the Community | the charge against the fourth prisoner. founded as at any time since the present led, His Lordship directed the jury to re. Messrs Guthrie & Co. and under the the military for the outposts at the gardens Farm in the Colony, similar to that existing | the first count.

in the Straits Settlements, and in order to | The jury, after consultation and without in the Bay of Biscay—reached Port Said hills. The Political Agent is requested to protect the farmer many enactments have leaving the box, returned an unanimous on 17th November and left Suez on 19th. been framed in such a manner as, in the verdice on the first count of guilty against When off the island of Jibbel Zukur, opinion of your Committee, to seriously the first prisoner, and of guilty by a majo. Captain Fulton of the S. S. Penguin affect the freedom of the Port and Com- rity of four to three against the second and signalled for assistance, his vessel being Nagas, but it is doubtful what Nagas, merce. A Sub-committee was therefore third defendants, and on the second count ashore. Captain Mackenzie at once reappointed to examine in detail the various an unanimous verdict of not guilty for all sponded to this call and an arrangement ger. All the house was destroyed. Mr clauses of the proposed Ordinance; their the prisoners.

report which has been submitted to His Excellency the Governor will be found in appendir; and nothing subsequently third prisoners pleaded for mercy, saying andise were saved. On the 1st January, raiders are Nagas, should take them in has transpired as to the intentions of their friend was on the spree and they had very heavy weather was experienced which rear. Mr. Savi's party and party under The Stamp Ordinance. - This Ordinance also pleaded for his two friends. is still under the consideration of the Gu-

vernment and further correspondence will verdict of the jury with which he had no fault to find, and in pasing sentence, he more cargo was given up, the Penguin was Sir Stewart Bayley will reach Cachar Merchant Shipping Consolidation Ordin- | could make no distinction, or it might seem ance, 1879 .- The Committee note with satis- he doubted them. faction that this Ordinance has passed a third reading, and will, it is hoped, become veara' penal servitude.

law in a few months, after it has received of the absent jurors, presented himself and the greater part if not all the Penguin's independent Polish kingdom. give as his excuse that he had forgotten. conditions of the new Mail contract to come His Lordship reminded him that by his great praise cannot be given to Captain into operation in 1880, the hour for closing neglect be had put some other gentleman to inconvenience, and fixed him in the sum and energetic assistance, which as well as As this would have converted the Sunday of \$25. late a day of labour, your Committee at

The Sessions stand adjourned till morrow morning at 10 c'clock.

> Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. C. B. Plunket.) Friday, Feb 20.

STEALING BRASS HINGES. business had increased and the losses in Society on the subject, but fearing that, if with stealing a quantity of brass hinges, reverses. A telegram from Daka states China station, has been cancelled by the valued about \$1, on the 16th instant. Defendant was sentenced to two months' ka column is re-crossing the river after satisfactory nature of the reports received imprisonment with hard labor.

his Worship could not see him in the dock, ments can be sent to take their place from his present rank on Oct. 1, 1874, and his (Taken at Messes Falconer & Oc.'s Premisch

charged in a lump sum according to the here by his uncle but was not kidnapped.

(Before C. V. Creaght, Fsq.) UNLAWFUL POSSESSION.

Choung Akau, a shop-keeper, was charged with being in unlawful possession of one pair of brass hinges, a quantity of lead, two brass washers, one piece of copper and some raw silk this morning. Case remanded till Monday next, the 23rd

> China. SHANGHAL. (News.)

The following Decree appears in the "Poking Gazette" of 28th January :having, in obedience to Imperial Command, year :- The Sun Yeo Hong, The Lai Hing | determined a severe penulty, they beg that Ch'ung How, Senior Vice-President of the

public service in conformity with the law balance of \$791.68 to the credit of the which provides this penalty for offences of 500 or 600 who are said to have joined against the constitution. The circumstances it from Logar. All quiet in the Khyber. under which Ch'nng How, who was honoured with Our commands to go forth on a mission, took upon himself to start on his return the tribes near Kelati Gilzai and that they without waiting for the Imperial permission to do so, are very grave, and the mere bestowal of dismissal upon him is insufficient to expiate the crime of which he has been guilty. Let him, as a preliminary step, be It is believed here that General Stewart cashiered and arrested, and, after having takes the Bengal troops to Ghuzni, General been put to the question, let him be handed

We are informed that a telegram has been received from Hongkong to the effect that ticket No. 9,212 has won the \$18,000 prizes Roberts visited the Latibund on the the command of the Wuku: the design of in the February drawing of the Manila Acting Crown Solicitor, conducted the Lottery. This ticket, we understand, was sold by Yung-kee in the Honan Road.

(Mercury). The Conference of Ministers at Peking is, we understand, without result. The Chinese have merely made a number of counter-Herbat, E. L. Woodin, E. C. Ray. A. J. charges in reply to their Joint Note.

Mr G. Lemaire, the Consul for France at Mr F. W. Henerman, was also called. Shanghai, is, we hear, appointed to Hongbut as his partner Mr Herbst was citting kong and Canton. Mr Guarnier, the Consul at Batavia, is to succeed him at Shanghai. The following mames were also called Mr Godeaux, formerly Consul here, is appointed to Naples.

(Courier). It is said that the Chinese Government The principal witness in the first count, has made a formal application to Russia to seize and intern the Kashgarian leader, Khakim Khao, who was defeated and fled to Bokhara. The British surveying vessel Magpie, R. H.

Napier, commander, arrived on the 14th.

Singapore.

(Tames.) The French Flagship Themie, with Adquestion by Lord Carnarvon regarding the instrument cutting her jacket. They miral Duperre on board, left the harbour appointment of a Commission as stipulated then ran away and sheraised an alarm from en route for Saigon at daylight on Wednes. regiments British Infantry, six Native

her person a pair of gold bangles worth some H. M. S. Hart arrived from Hongkong preliminary meeting last night for Irish "With repeat to the third matter, the \$30, a gold hair press worth \$20, a gold on the 6th instant, and is now in harbour appointment of a Commission to regulate | ring worth \$10, a gold hair plu worth a with the Encounter, Egeria, and Foxbound. he differences between Hongkong and the little over \$3, a gold omament for the hair H. M. S. Figilant, with Admiral Coote City of Canton, if you look at the 7th worth about \$1, and a gold bangle worth has left for a cruise in the Straits of discussion. It is understood that Sir R.

The weather has been rather boisterous Mackay, in regard to the safety of which some apprehensions were felt, has, we learn,

The United States steam frigate Ticena knife presented to her throat and a gold deroga, Captain J. B. Cromwell, bearing the broad pendant of Commodore Shufeldt, This weman's evidence was so flatly con- anchored in the roads at 11 o'clock on the the raid on the Baladhun tea garden

Several witnesses were called to identify of Captain James Mackenzie. She has the detection of the raiders. was made for salving her cargo-four trips | Savi, with 120 men of 84th and Cacher The fourth defendant was then discharged. were made between the Penguin and Aden, Before passing sentence the second and and about 1200 tons of valuable merch- should reach Asalog on Sist; and if the nothing to do with it. The first prisoner drove the Penguin higher up on the reef Lieut. Macgregor, which has gone to and when the Hong Ann reached her on Raplongnai and Kutcha Naga country, His Lordship said, he must abide by the her fifth trip she found the Penguin bilged and full of water. All hope of salving difficult. abandoned and her officers and crew were on the 2nd February. taken on board the Hong Ann and landed The sentence of the Court was seven at Aden. It was fortunate for the Under advocates a reconciliation with the Poles, writers that the Hong Ann was so prompt. and re asserts that negotiations are believed At this point Mr J. M. dos Remedios, one ly available as had there been any delay to have failed for the establishment of an valuable cargo must have been lost. Too Mackenzie and his officers for their able the valuable services of the Hong Ann in abandoning for the time her voyage Singapore when she was much wanted. will no doubt be suitably rewarded.

NEWS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL

The P. & O. Co.'s steamship Lombardy, Captain W. B. Hall, with the London Mail

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY. (From Indian Papers.) Jell labad, Jan. 18.—The party under Jan will advance to Argandeh, that General He Golam Hyder has come from Turkistan to Chariker, and that ayub Khan is about to &o, has been in colusion (Jan. 10th) with reports, whether true or not, have been cir- badly damaged. enlated evidently to keep up the hopes of the promotion to the rank of Lieutenant the independent tribes still against us, of Sub-Lieutenant Duncan Macpherson, Chun Ayau, a brickisyer, was charged who have been disheartened by constant serving on board the Forhound, on the that Rolna is in flames, and that the Da | Admicalty, owing, it is said, to the unhaving burnt it. No enemy has been re- by their Lordships from Lieut. Nowell, ported as far as Polosi. The 25th King's commanding the Fonhound, co cerning his own Borderers said the 80th Punjab Native senior executive officer's conduct. Sub-Chun Ayan, a tailor, (who was so small Infantry will move onwards if reinforce. Lieutenant Dunean Macpherson attained

seven accountants-seventeen in the Pre- volunteer, 1st class, in the Apollo and eidency and ten in the Mofussil-have been Dido at the capture of Chin-Kiang, and at He admitted the charge. His father and dispensed with, and the Duke desires that Nankin, and served in a boat action with mother live in Canton. He was brought a further reduction of eight laks per annum pirates at Sirhassen, in 1844, as midehipmay be carried out by the end of the pre- man of the Dide (China medal). He was Sentence, one month's imprisonment with sent official year. The present five circles senior lieutenant of the Royal Albert, and hard labour, the clothes to be released to are to be reduced to three with only acting commander of the Desperate during seventeen divisions.

Calcutta, Jan. 26 .- A small party escorting coolies from Zamba to Samaguting wore is a son of the late Mr Robert Pauncefote. attacked by the Nagas near Depapani. of Preston Court, Gloncestershire. He was One sepoy of the 44th and one policeman born in 1828, and having been educated for were severely wounded. The Nagas rushed the law was called to the Bar at the Inner to get their arms and ammunition, but one Temple in 1852. He was for some time man of the 42nd and two men of the subsequently engaged in oun olidating Frontier Police placed the wounded men statutes under the Statute Law Commisunder a tree, and used their rifles with sion, and was appointed Attorney General such effect, that the Nagas were kept off of Hongkong in 1865, and ex officio member until the arrival of reinforcements from of the Executive and Legislative Councils Zamba, where the firing was heard. Their of the colony. From 1869-till 1872 he was names have been sent up to General Nation | Acting Chief Justice of the Supreme Court for favourable notice.

Poona, Jan. 27.- The Poons Horse "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure" march from Sirur to morrow morning. reaching Bombay, on the 5th of February. colony. He received the thanks of the The Board of Civil Office memorialise that The E. Brig. Royal Horse Artillery march Legislative Council of Hongkong for his to-morrow morning, reaching Bombay 3rd public services upon his appointment in February.

Calcutta, Jan. 27 .- From Kabul further reports of the gathering at Ghazni have come in of disbanded soldiery to the number Mulla Lhalil is reported to have gone to that of Assistant Under Secretary of State Bajour. "Rumours of disturbances among at the Foreign Office. are contemplating an attack on it.

Bombay, Jan. 28 .- Men have been telegraphed for to take charge of the stores of Messrs Dent & Co., in which employ he Kandabar that cannot be carried forward Phayre marching with the Bombay troops over to the Board of Punishments for cor- to Herat. Sir R. Temple has invited the citizens to meet him on Thursday with re. & Swire, in command of the s.s. Peking, spect to the Irish Relief Fund.

> 26th. Orders have been issued for every which vessel he greatly interested himse'f post to be provisioned for a month and in, and it is feared so much so that it to have always three weeks supplies in hand. Wheeled Artillery can now go an attack of paralysis, from a secondattack to Jugdulluck. The road will soon made practicable throughout to Kabul The Sappers are improving a bad bit between Seti Baba and Latibund, supplies being brought in sufficient to meet any demands. No change in position during the last few days either at Ghazni or other places.

Bombay, Jan. 29 .- The Bombay papers announce by authority that Sir Frederick Haines will assume the command of the troops in Afghanistan shortly. It is understood that a regiment of Madras Cavalry comes to Bombay to take the place of those sent to the front. Sir R. Temple and Sir R. Sandeman leave this evening. Additions to troops already wired: 2-11. 2-15, 1st Sind Horse, regiment of cavalry to be named hereafter. The 3rd Native Infantry, 28rd, and 24th, have been detailed from Reserve division for service. Bombay troops on service are held in readiness; two batteries horse, two field artillery, one mountain train battery, four Cavalry, thirteen Native Infantry. Distress, it was decided that subscriptions be received and expended without reference to politics or creed. There was a lively Temple who prosided at the public meeting this afternoon, wished the fund to be sent to the Duchess of Mariborough, and not to the Lord Mayor.

. The British Schooner Goan Goan, Captain - From Silchar information has been received that on the night of the 27th, a raid was made on Caladhun tea garden by the arrived safely at Baugkok after a long pas. Nagas or Kubis. The buildings were all burnt. The manager, Mr. P. Blyth, killed. The district superintendent of the police has proceeded to the place with a party of thirty police. With reference to reported to day, there is nearly a full that His Lordship directed the jury to The steamer Hong ann arrived from regiment in Cachar, and a detachment will England on the 9th instant, under charge | be sent out at once to support the police in

the prisoners, but they failed as re been specially built for the coasting trade | Calcutta, Jan. 29.-From Silchar, it is and it was deemed advisable to address the wards the fourth. The police also proved here—and carries about 750 tons and stated that the District Superintendent of Secretary of State for the Colonies without | finding three knives and a fighting from on steams 91 knots on an average consumption | Police has found two more bodies of coolies of 6 tons coalper 24 hours. She was built at Baladhun and one is wounded. No ing out that the "grievances complained Mr Ng Choy said be would not press by Messrs, Wigham Richardson & Co. further details are known. The Deputy Newcastle on Tyne, to the order of Mr. Commissioner of Cachar will reach Bastill exist and are as serious and well On proceeding to summarise the evidence Wee Boon Tek of this place, through ladhun on the 30th. He has arranged with turn a verdict of not guilty against all superintendence of Captain Mackenzie, west of Baladhun, and considers that addi-The Spirit Farm Ordinance.—The object the prisoners on the second count, and who has been for many years trading in tional troops are not necessary. The of this Ordinance is to establish a Spirit of not guitty against the fourth prisoner on these seas. The Hong na left Newcastle military and police under Mr. Savi are on 29th October, experienced heavy weather moving towards our frontier from Naga

Calcutta, Jan. 29.—Last reports from Silchar state the raiders in Baladhun were Nine coolies were killed besides the manapolice, left Kohima, on the 24th. should make the retreat of the raiders

St. Petersburg, Jan. 30 .- The Golos

London, Feb. 2.-A memorial has been forwarded to Lord Beaconsfield, asking for an inquiry respecting the execution at Kabul of persons not implicated in the attack on the Residency. The Times publishes a telegram from India stating that the report that the Viceroy is desirous of resigning is untrue.

New York, Feb. 2.—The New York press condemn generally the policy of Mr. St. Peterburg, Feb. 2 .- The Russian

press deprecate the occupation of Herat by Persia under the auspices of England. London, Feb. 8 .- Experiments have proved that it was double loading which caused the bursting of the Zhunderer's

Obituary.-Colonel Munro, 93rd High-Elias, H. Crawford, A. Hancock, Foss, Pol- recently drew the attention of this Chamber bamboo in one hand and the other hand Moghul Khan is dispersing. Their sup- of the House of Representatives has been

> (L. & C. Express, Jan. 16.) The Radnorshire (s.), London for Penang

Bengal Lancers also return to India. The Captain G. W. Watson, who was on Defendant is an apprentice tailor. His Peshawar column is reported to be at Tuesday gazetted to the rank of Admiral, consequent on the retirement of Admiral Madros, Jan. 19 .- The services of twenty. Farquhar, entered the navy in 1841; was the Crimean war.

Sir Julia : sauncefot- (now a K C. M. of Hongkong, and in that capacity prepared and other measures now in force in that 1874 as Chief Justice of the Leeward Islands. The same year he was appointed

We regret to record the death of Capt. Henry Tapp, who went out to Ohina in 1855, in the schooner Vindex, belonging to remained for many years, on the coast and on the Yangtze. On leaving there he took command of the steamer Orissa, trading between Nagasaki and Shanghal. Ic 1874 he joined the service of Mesars Butterfield up to May, 1879, when he came home on Calcutta, Jan. 28.—Cubul 27th -General sick leave. He was afterwards appointed to brought on during the voyage to Shanghal be of which he has succumbed.

Assistant Under Secretary of State at the

Colonial Office, being made a K.O.B. shortly

after. This appointment he held till 1876.

when he was appointed to his present office.

Steps are being taken by the Syndic. prominent scientific men, and military authorities of Naples to Organise a fitting reception for Professor Nordenskjold, who is expected to arrive there shortly on board the Vega: One of the sons of the King of Sweden will go to Naples to receive the

explorer. The Wivern, 4, Iron turret ship, armour plated, 2,751 tons, 1,446 horse power, at Devonport, was commissioned on the 14th inst., for service on the China Station The Wivern will have a complement of 152 officers and crew under the command of Commander J. G. Jones (1878) The other officers, so far as they have been appointed. are :- Lieutenants, Walter T. Warren and William J. H. Anton; Navigating Lieut. Charles d' A. Morshead ; Chief Engineer, Leopold M. Green; Engineers, Edward Barrett a d Samuel G. Follett : Aulstant Paymester, John T. Greet,

The Army and Navy Gazette states that the Russian ironclad Minin, now on passage to the China station, was originally constructed as a rigged turret ship on the Coles system. She is 298ft. long, has a beam of 49ft., and a displacement of 5,650 tons. But in consequence of the catastrophe to the Captain the Minin was altered to Mr Reed's central-battery system. She has now a central citadel 93h long and 10ft, above the water line, protected by 12-in. plates, worked on to 24in, of teak backing. The armament consists of four guns of 28 tons each, mounted in pairs on two turn-tables on the main-deck, and fired en barbette over the top of the batery. She is a most formidable ship, far superior to the Iron Duke, the only British ironelad on the China station. Wherever we may chance to turn our eyes (says the journal quoted) we find foreign yesse's of war carrying beavier guns, even where they do not carry heavier armour, than the English ships on the same station.

The Comus, corvette, Captain James W. East, arrived at Madeira on the 3rd inst. en route to Tristan d'Achune, the Cape, the Crozets, and China, and left again on the 4th inst. The appointments of Sub-Lieutenants

William Ricketts, to the Charybdit; and W. O. Thurburn, to the Sheldrake, on the China Station are gazetted Lieutenant Henry Belam, appointed to

the Magpie, proceeds to Hongkong by the P. and O. mail steamer from South ampton 22nd inst. Latest Mail Advices :- Yokohama Dec. 4.

Shanghai Dec. 6, Fucchow Dec. 9, Hongkong Dec. 13. The P. & O. mail, with dates from Yokohama 27th, Shanghai 29th Nov., Hongkong 6th, Singapore 18th Dec., reached London, via Brindisi, on the 29th ult, its due date, and the heavy portion is expected at Southampton on the 18th inst., per P. & O. steamer Pekin The French mail, with the advices tabulated above, was delivered, via Naples, this morning. There ere no later Japan advices via San Fran-

We have received "Strange Stories from Chinese Studio" by Herbert A. Giles, and "The Arctic Voyages of Adolp Erik Nordenskidld," compiled by Alexander Lesile, which will be reviewed ah ritly.

Quotations. Honerone, February 20. OPIUM.-New Patna, cash ... \$5971 Old , cash, ... New Benares, cash, 5721 New Maiwa, credit, 725 Old Malwa, credit, 790 Exchange. Bank, Wire,... Demand, 30 days' sight, 4 months' sight, Documentary, 4 months sight, 8/

India, Wire,...

Shanghai, demand, ...

demand,

31 80 daya' sight, ...

Gold Leaf, 991 fine ... Sovereigne, ... Ehares. Hongkong Bank, 56 % prem. ex div. Union Ins. Society of O'ton, \$1,425, buyers. Ohina Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,45), buyers, North China Ina. Co., Tis. 1,200, Yangteze Ins. Assoc. Tls. 725 Chinese Insurance Co., \$300, H. K. Fire Ins. Co., 1825, sellers. China Fire Ins. Co., \$215, sellers. H.K. & W. Dock Co., 10 % prem. buyers H.K. C. M. S .. boat Co., \$22 pm. buy.ex d. Shanghai Steam Navigation, Tla. 10 Ohine Coast St. Nav. Co., Tis. 107. Hongkong Gas Co., \$75 Hongkong Hotel Co., \$67 buyers. China Sugar Refining Co., \$165, salls

Queen's Road.)

Objusts imperial Loan of 1874, nominal,

Hononono, February 20. BAROMETER- 9 A.M. ... 50 091 4 P. Henry THERMOMETER-OA.M. 1 P.M. 4 P. M. ... Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 59 Do. 1 P.M. 57 Do. 4 7.11. Do. Maximum Do. Minimum overnight

complainant.

of which have to be lauded and Commerce having asked for information as to the oustom of this port in cases of gambling, the above nature, your Committee have replied, that Agency fees are invariably work and trouble involved, in addition to

a Commission of 21 % for disbursements.

STEALING LIMPS. Woog Akwai, a mat-packer, was charged with stealing four lamps from the front of of the 16th January, arrived this forencon. No. 18, Queen's Street, on the 18th instant. Acpar Alli, P. C. 550, was on duty about ing ships from Calcutta to ports in the 10 p.m. on the 18th, in the Queen's Road United Kingdom, the Bengal Chamber West, when he met defendant. He had a to certain changes which it is proposed to concealed under his jacket. Defendant ran plies failing, they have returned to their called to hear Mr. Parnell make a speech make under the auspices of the General away when the constable spoke to him. On homes. Astratulla Khan has been sending on the Irish Land Question. Shipowners Society, in the clauses of Bills being pursued and arrested, the burners reports all round the country, especially The Chairman moved the adoption of the of Lading for Sailing Ships trading between were found in the hand hidden below his amongst the Mohamands, that Mahomed

Prisoner gave the usual excuse. picked them up in the street. Sentence, fourteen days' imprisonment move from Herat towards Kabul. These the Paria, and both vessels put into Malta

A LITTLE TRIEF.

master entrusted him to take the clothes to | Shersang. warehoused,-The Singapore Chamber of give out to people to sew, instead of which he pawned the articles to obtain money for

was also a fine specimen of the Gymno- Class 48-Best two heads of colery, large,grams Chrysophylla, shown amon at the mes lot, and included in the first price, "Tat Point" seems to have effected a sort of alliance this year, the Secretary buying apparently amalgamated with the Manorunder the all-embracing name of Class 45-Best air boot roots (long),--1, A. quently noticed on the prize tickets, and Class 46-Best six beet roots (short or seen by the papers at the time, H. E. "Ewo." This well-known sign was frein one department it showed very comspipotonsly, vis., the Orolida. These were better this year than they have ever been, the specimen of the Bostle Orchil being exquisite, while several of the others were worthy of all praise. A little more excoursement ought to be given this class. One result of the change from the Public Garden to the City Hall was that the Show was deprived of many attractive flowers and plants, from the Covernment conservatories. Notwithstanding this fact, however, the exhibition

even the show of Toliago Plants was of commendable excellence. to note that the Judges have evidently been guided in their awards by quality then size; and although the Class 53-Best two cabbages red,-1, Ewo; goodliness of quantity has not been overlooked, the other points which go to make up a first class table vegetable have been prominently and we think carefully noted. The awards in all classes indeed -of Flowers as well as Vegetables and Fruits -appear to have given general natisfection. In all the loading classes of Vegetables the exhibits were enceedingly good, and above the average in nearly all cases. Some of the Cabbages were of enormous size, but few of these were prize-takers; and the same remark might be applied to the Cauliflowers and Carrots. Turnips were small, but (es-Celery seemed to us rather behind this year; but Potatoes were in splendid form. We noticed a fine specimen of Scotch Kail, from Mr Dickie, which would have gladdened the heart of the Patron Saint The Fruits did not appear to us to be more than

a fair show. The Band of the 27th Innishillings played during the afternoon, and that from the U. H. Richmond will play during the evening, between 8 and 10 o'clock. We understand that the Exhibition will be again open to-morrow evening during the name

The Judges were as follows : For Flowers, Mr T. C. Hayllar, and Mr H. P. Tennant. For Vegetables, Mr J. M. Armstrong and

Mr W. K. Bughes. The following are the members of the Committee: T. C. Hayllar, Esq., President, and Meers C. P. Chater, J. B. Coughtrie, H. Dickie, W. R. Hughen, A. G. Romano, J. M. A. da Silva, A. E. Vaucher, and E. L. Woodin, with Mr J. M. Armstrong, Hon. Treasurer, and Mr C. S. Taylor, Hon. Sec. The following is a list of the awards :--

PLANTS IN PUTS. Ches 1 -- Best six flowering and or foliage plants, -1, H. Dickie; 2, Ewo; 3 (udditloual), Dorabjee. de C. Forben.

Class 4-Best three foliage plants,-1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3 (ad-Class 5-Best three flowering plants,-1, Class 76-Best two Scotch kail,-1,

A. G. Romano. Chater: 2, H. Dickle. C. P. Chater.

Dickie ; 2, Emp : 5 (additional), A. G. mano ; 2 Farmes Cometery. Class 11-Best three chrysanthemums, -1,

H. Dickie : 2, A. C. Romanc. Class 12 Best two chrysanthemums,-1, A. G. Romano; 2; H. Dickie. Class 18-Best chrymathemum, -1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano.

Class 14-Best flowering plant,-1, A. G. Romano; 2, Ewo; 8 (additional), H. Dickie. A. G. Romano; S (additional), H. de

C. Forbes. Class 16-Best camellia, -1, R. Howie; 2, Class 17-Best ross,-1, withheld; 2, T. C. Payliar : 3 (additionai) H. Dickie. Class 18-Best two or three asiers,-1, A.

G. Romano ; 2, H. Dickie. Class 19-Best aster,-1, J. H. Cox; 2, A. G. Romano; 8 (additional), fl. Dickie.

Class 21-Best dablis .- J. H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Remano. Ches 22-Best germium,-1, H. Dickle; 2 A. G. Romano; 8 (additional), C. P.

Class 23-Best fern,-1, Ewo; 2, A. G. Romano : 3 (additional), H. de C.

Class 24-Best one or more azales,-1, A G. Romono; 2, Kro; 3, H. Dickie. Class 25-Best one or more pink, carnation or sweet william, -1, A. G. Romano;

2. Ewa. Class 26-Best one or more hyadath,-1, A. G. Romano; 2, Ewa. Clam 27-Best one or more gladiolus,-1, A. G. Romano : 2, withheld. Class 28—Best one or more pelargonium,—

Both prizes withheld. Class 29-Best one or more orchid,-1, Ewo; 2, T. C. Hayllar. Class 80-Best one or more daphne,-1, H. Dickie; 2, withheld.

Euo; 2, Dorabjee Nowrojee. Class 32—Best one or more parcissus.—1. H. Dickie; 2, Dorabjee Nowrojee. Class 33-Best one or more palm, -1, H. Dickie; 2, H. de C. Forbes.

Class 31—Best one or more lillies.—1.

CUI FLOWERS. Chas 34 - Best four camelia blooms, -1, H.

Dickis; 2, T. C. Bayllar; 3 (addition- Ming-shan. all. C. P. Chater, Class 35-Best fourthrysanthemum blooms (additional), Darabjee Nowrojee.

Olass 86-Best four rose blooms, -1, A. G. Romano; 2, Dorabjee Nowrojee; 8, (additional) C. P. Chater. Class 37-Best mir bunches cut flowers, dis

(siditional) A. G. Romano. Class 28-Best stumps or rockwork with 1879 had been comparatively insignificant. Dickie.

Geo. Alian.

Class 41-Best table decorations or wild fowers, -- Prine, (a centro vase) -- 1, H de C. Forbes; 2, Mrs Ede. In these classes a Silver Challenge Cup Was effered for the most creditable exhibi-

tion of plants and flowers, but this was not swanded at a late hour. TIGET BLES. Class 42 Best air kinds of vegetables, -1,

1, H. Dickle; 2, R. Allord; 3, J. H. Class 44-Beat two beads of colery, dwarf,-1. H. Dickie; 2, withheld; 8, with-

round),-1, N. Dorabjee; 2, H. Die kie ; 3, H. de C. Forbes Class 17-Best six cartots (long),-1, H. Dickie; 2, s. G. Romano; 3, T. C.

Havilat.

Class 48-Best six carrots (abortor early) -1, A. Smith; 2, H. Dickle.; 3, C. P. had approved it with certain modifications. Class 49-Best six paranips,-1, R. Cooke They would see soon what would be done. . 2, C. P. Chater ; 3, N. Dorabjes. He calculated on the scheme being carried Class 50-Best two cauliflowers,-1, H. cut. He formally moved the adoption of Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, Sosy

the report and the passing of the accounts.

which was carried, nem. con.

Reiners and carried.

The Hon. Ng Chey seconded the motion,

ation of the re-appointment of Mr Lowcock

Mr Hoppius proposed the re-election of

Mr Molver proposed, and Mr Wotton

seconded, and it was manimously resolved

to reappoint Mr G. O. Scott and Mr J. H.

COMMERCE.

The following is the Report of the Com-

The Blockade.-Your Committee regret

the Governor from the Colony at the time

prevented any satisfactory reply being given,

and it was deemed advisable to address the

Secretary of State for the Colonics without

delay through the local Government, point-

ing out that the "grievances complained

of by the Chamber and by the Community

obnoxious system was inaugurated."

the Government.

be found in appendix.

mittee concurred.

the assent of Her Majesty's Government.

following effect :-

It was stated that the divident' warrants

the retiring Directors, Measrs Melver and

Hancock and passed unanimously.

Cox. Auditors for the year 1880.

to the Board, which was seconded by Mr

is very creditable to all concerned; and Class 51-Best two cabbages (exclusive of drumboad),-1, H. Dickie; 2, Asui; Coming to the Vegetables, it is gratifying Class 52—Best two cabbages drumbead;—1, Akan; 2, R. Cooke; 3, W. C. East-

> 2, H. Dickie; 8, A. G. Romano, Dalrympie, which was seconded by Mr Class 54-Best two lettuce cos,-1, H. Dickie; 2, A. Smith; 3, A. G. Ro-Class 55 - Beat two lottuce vabbage, -1, H.

> Dickle; 2, Ewo; 3, C. P. Chater. Class 66-Best dish paraley,-1, N. Dorabjee; 2, H. Dickie; 3, C. P. Chater. and bonus receipts will be ready to-morrow. lass 57-Best dish of chillies or capsicums,-1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Ro-

HONGKONG CHAMBER OF Class 58-Best fifty pods of pess,-1, H. Dickie; 2, N. Dorabjee; 3, H. de C. Forbes. cially one yellow kind) of good quality. Class 59-Best fifty pods beans, french,-1, mittee of the Hongkong Chamber of Com-H. Dickie; 2, Asu; 8, Lwo. Class 60 Best twenty five pods of beans, merce, for the year ending 31st December,

broad, -1, H. Dickie; 2, Withheld; 8, 1879, to be presented to the Members, at Withheld. Class 61 - Best twenty five potatoes, -1, H. Dickie; 2. A. G. Romano; 8, C. P. on Monday, next, the 23rd inst., at 3.30

Class 62-Best six turnips,-1, H. Dickie 2. A. G. Romano ; 8. C. P. Chater. that they are unable to report any progress Class 63-Best dx turnips swedes,-1, H. towards a satisfactory settlement of the Dickie; 2 and 3, withheld. Custom's Blockade Question. In the early Class 64-Best twelve ontons,-1, H. Dicpart of the year the Members of the Chamkie; 2, Achee; 3, A. G. Romano.

Class 65—Best twelve locks, -1, H. Dickle; on his way through the Colony, and a full Class 66-Best (welve shallots,-1, H. Dickie ; 2, Dr Bastlacke. will be found in the appendix. Class 67 - Best twenty-five radiabes turnip

rooted,-1, B. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, H. de C. Forbes. Class 68—Beat twenty five radishes long,-(A. E. Vancher disqualified); 1, H. Dickie; 2 and 3, withheld. Class 69 -Best six kohl-rabi,-1, A. E. Vaucher; 2, Dorabjee Nowrojee; 3

H. Dickie. Class 70-Best two savoys, -1, Asui; 2, H. Dickie; 3, A. G. Romano. Class 71-Best fifty brussels sprouts,-1 H. Dickie; 2, Akau; 3, withheld. Class 72 -Best twelve tomatos,-I, Dickie; 2, withheld; 3, A. G. Roma-

Class 2-Best six ferus,-1, Ewo; 2, H. Class 73-Best two vegetable Marrows,-Prizes withhold. Class 3-Sest six annuals,-1, H. Dickie; Class 74-Best two couve trenchoudes,-1 H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3

Class 75-Best six horse radish,-1, H Dickie ; 2 and 3, withheld. Dickie; 2 and 3, withheld. Class 6-Best three ferns,-1, Zwo; 2, Class 77-Best twenty shoots asparague,-

1, 2 and 3, withheld. Class 7-Best three camelliss, -1, C. P. Class 78-Best arrowroot, -1, H. Dickie 2, A. G. Romano ; 3, withheld. Class 8-Best three dahliss,-1, Ewo; 2, Class 79-Best salad, 6 kinds at least,-1 R. Dickie; 2 and 3, withholds

Class 9-Best time geraniums,-1, H. Class 80-Best collection of sweet and poherbs (including sage),-1, A. G. Ro mano : 2 and 3, withheld. Class 10—Sens mirror mans,-1, A. G. Ro- | Class 81-Best collection of sweet and po herbs, (without sage),-1, H. Dickie,

2 and 3, withheld.

[Note. - It was a condition in every class of fruit that the exhibit should have been grown in Hongkong.]

Class 82-Best collection of fruit,-I, N in the Straits Settlements, and in order to Dorabjee; 2, A. G. Romano; 3, with protect the farmer many enactments have been framed in such a manner as, in the Class 15-Best feliege plant, -1, Rwo; 2, Class 83-Best strawberries, -Prizes, with opinion of your Committee, to seriously affect the freedom of the Port and Com-Class 84 Best oranges, -Prizes, withheld merce. A Sub-committee was therefore Class 85-Best lemons,-I, N. Dorabjes; appointed to examine in detail the various clauses of the proposed Ordinauce; their

Class 86-Best plantains,-Prizes, with pomegranates, -Frizes, Class 87-Best

Class 88-Best custard apples,-Prizes, withheld. Class 20-Best angual,-1, H. Lickie; 2, Class 89-Best pumaloes,-Prizes, with

Class 90-Best guavas, -Prizes, withheld. Class 91-Best chinese gooseberry,-Prizes withheld. Class 92-Best pine apples,-Prizes with

Special Prize, \$2, C. P. Chater, for In these classes a Silver Challenge Cup was offered for the most creditable exhibi-

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

tion of vegetables and fruit, and it was

not awarded at a late hour.

ELEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING. The eleventh ordinary meeting of the China Fire Insurance Company was held this afternoon, when there were present: the Hon. P. Ryrie, Chairman of 'the Company, who presided, Messra H. Hoppius, H. L. Dalrymple, H. Lowcock, A. Coxon, W. Wotton, Reiners, R., Deacon, A. Molver, H. Wicking, A. Newton, McConnchie, E. E. Elias, H. Crawford, A. Hancock, Foss, Pol- | recently drew the attention of this Chamber ishwalla, and the Hon. Ng Choy and Fung

The Chairman moved the adoption of the report and the accompanying balance sheet. -1, H. Dickie; 2, A. G. Romano; 3 It was not necessary to read it as it had been in the hands of the shareholders for some time. He had nothing to add to what was there said save to say to the shareholders that the affairs of the Company were in a very satisfactory condition. similar,-1, Ewo; 2, H. Dickie; 8, premis had increased, the amount of their business had increased and the losses in ferts and or croepers. -1, Now Fong; They would observe from the accounts that H. de C. forben; 3, (additional) H. the Directors proposed to pay the bonus for 1878 immediately after this meeting, and Class 39 Best hand bouquet, - Prize, (a the directors also proposed to get rid of the bouquet holder),-1, J. H. Cox; 2, old bonus eystem which prevailed up to the 30th June last. On the 1st July, as the proposed innovations. (Appendix). Class 40-Best table decorations, Price (a they were sware, the new system was centre vase)-1, T. C. Hayllar; 2, Mow introduced by which a cash discount of 20 per cent was granted. The amount to be paid to contributors was \$27,388,63, the discount for the half year was \$14,379.54.

shareholders would observe that there had been some changes since they last met The gentleman who was Chairman left the Colony and Mr Gibb was appointed in his stead. He also had to leave the Colony through ill-health. It was with pleasure they saw that gentleman back again amongst H. Dickie; 2, 4. G. Romano; 3, C. P. them to-day, and it would be his, (the Chairman's) duty to ask them to confirm (Appendix).

Telegraphic Service-The New Tariff .his election to a place at this Board. He had only to refer now to the subject which The Chamber has received from the Bengal was brought up at last meeting, the Chamber of C mmerce copies of corresponmeans for extinguishing fires. In the dence upon the subject of the New Teleinterval this matter, had had the attention graph Rules which will be found in of the Board. A deputation waited on H. Appendix.

E. the Governor requesting his assistance in | The Eastern Extension Telegraph Comthe matter and, as they probably would have | pany -Attention having been drawn to the inconvenience caused by the refusal of most cordially agreed with the views laid the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company before him by the deputation and promised to receive telegrams after 7 P.M., your to do everything in his power to carry them Committee requested the General Manager out. At that meeting His Excellency laid to arrange to have the office o, on for the before the gentlemen composing the deputa- receipt and transmission of messages from tion a scheme for high-level water tanks. 6 A.u. to 9 r.u., and that gentleman was ood enough to make the office hours from This spheme had gone before Her Majesty's 6.30 a.m. to 8.30 r.m. Government and so far as he understood they

> tecome Members of the Chamber during the year :- The Sun Yee Hong, The Lal Hing Hong, The Tak On Bank. Acc unts. - These bave been audited by

Messra Hassell and Scott, and there is a balance of \$791.68 to the credit of the The Chairman then proposed the cosfirm- Chamber.

> IN CRIMINAL SESSIONS. Judje, J. J. Francis, Ecq.) Friday, Feb. 20.

Fong Atwai, Chin Athung, Slu Apo. and Ho Alenng were charged on two c unte with robbery with violence, being

Mr Ng Achoy, instructed by Mr Johnson, Acting Crown Solicitor, conducted the prosecution for the Acting Att rney Genral Hon. J. Russell.

The prisoners pleaded not guilty, sod he was permitted to stand aside.

but the gentleman did not answer to them : pointed to Naples. Menns J. M. dos Remedios, L. F. A. Collece and L. Kirchman.

ber had an interview with Sir Thomas F. Ko Apo, was the woman who was robbed seize and intern the Kashgarian leader, Wade, K.C.B., H.B.M.'s Minister to Peking in 24 Tez Mi Lane, West Point, about 6.30 Bokhara. statement of what occurred at that meeting p.m. on the 25th January, the was called The British surveying vessel Magpie, R. H. out of the house by some one and Some correspondence has taken place found five or six men on the landing. with the local Government in consequence The first prisoner was one. She was of a Statement made in the House of Lords | seized by the throat, her syes covered, on the 9th May last, by the Secretary of and the money, \$00 taken from an inner State for Foreign Affairs, in reply to a jacket pocket. She found some sharp question by Lord Carnervon regarding the instrument cutting her jacket. They miral Duperre on board, left the harbour appointment of a Commission as stipulated then ran away and she raised an alarm from en route for Saigon at daylight on Wednesfor under the Cheloo Convention, to the the window. There was also taken from day, the 4th instant. her person a pair of gold bangles worth some "With repect to the third matter, the \$30, a gold hair press worth \$20, a gold on the 6th instant, and is now in harbour appointment of a Commission to regulate ring worth \$10, a gold hair pin worth a with the Encounter, Egeria, and Foxhound. he differences between Hongkong and the little over \$3, a gold ornament for the bair H. M. S. Vigilant, with Admiral Coote City of Canton, if you look at the 7th worth about \$1, and a gold bangle worth has left for a cruise in the Straits of Section you will find that is a unilateral | several dollars. After the first prisoner was | Malacca. provision in favour of the British Covernment on account of the interference of the Customs Revenue Cruisers with the junk trade of the Colony. It was a provision as two of the men who were at her home. inserted in order to redress grievances felt by the Governor of Hongkong. He has reported that the grievation it was inten led to remedy has ceased and there is therefore no further reason to appoint the Commis-

earring atolen from her. -Your Committee at once drew the attention of the Administrator to the facts, and begged that the Chamber might be furnished with any information the Government discard it entirely. possessed on the subject, but the absouce of

the charge against the fourth prisoner. still exist and are as serious and well founded as at any time since the present led, His Lordship directed the jury to re- Messrs Guthrie & Co. and under the turn a verdict of not guilty against all superintendence of Captain Mackenzie, The Spirit Farm Ordinance. - The object the prisoners on the second count, and who has been for many years trading in of this Ordinance is to establish a Spirit of not guilty against the fourth prisoner on these sess. The Hong was left Newcastle military and police under Mr. Savi are Farm in the Colony, similar to that existing | the first count.

report which has been submitted to His Excellency the Governor will be found in appendix; and nothing subsequently has transpired as to the intentions of also pleaded for his two friends. The Stamp Ordinance - This Ordinance is still under the consideration of the Gu-

vernment and further correspondence will

Merchant Shipping Consolidation Ordinhe doubted them. ance, 1879.—The Committee note with eatisfaction that this Ordinance has pessed a years' penal servitude. third reading, and will, it is hoped, become law in a few months, after it has received gave as his excuse that he had forgotten. Departure of the Mail Steamers. - By the

conditions of the new Mail contract to come into operation in 1880, the hour for closing to inconvenience, and fined him in the sum the mail was fixed at 6 p.m., on Sunday. As this would have converted the Sunday late a day of labour, your Committee at morrow morning at 10 o'clock. once addressed the Administrator on the subject, suggesting that the hour bealtered to 8 s.m His Excellency afterwards

favoured the Chamber with a report of the Post-master General, in which that officer (Before the Hon. C. B. Plunket.) suggested that 6 a.m. would be a more suit-Friday, Feb 20. able hour and in this suggestion your Com-Since then it has been determined to

despatch the mai s on Wednesdays at 10.30 Bills of Lading .- With regard to proposed changes to Bill of Lading Clauses for sailing ships from Calcutta to ports in the United Kingdom, the Bengal Chamber to certain changes which it is proposed to make under the auspices of the General Shipowners' Society, in the chauses of Bills Calcutta and the United Kingdom, which, in the opinion of the Chamber representing he merchants of C.leutta, are unjust to shippers, inasmuch as they would entirely relieve the Shipowner of his legitimate

The Chamber has not had any communication from the General Shipowners Society on the subject, but fearing that, if allowed to pass without a general protest, the changes would be extended to this trade, your Committee considered the matter of such importance that they deemed it advisable to address the Chairman of the ociety wi hout delay, protesting against Agency Fees .- As to Agency Fees charge- but had to place him on the table), was

of ships or steamers which put into harbour of \$10. for repairs or in distress, and the cargoes warehoused, -The Siegapore Chamber of give out to people to sew, instead of which Commerce having saked for information he pawned the articles to obtain money for as to the custom of this port in cases of gambling. the above nature, your Committee have He admitted the charge. His father and dispensed with, and the Duke desires that Nankin, and served in a boat action with replied, that Agency fees are invariably mother live in Canton. He was brought a further reduction of eight laks per annum pirates at Sirhassen, in 1844, as midshipcharged in a lump sum according to the here by his uncle but was not kidnapped. may be carried out by the end of the pre- man of the Dido (China medal). He was work and trouble involved, in addition to Sentence, one month's imprisonment with sent official year. The present five circles senior lightenant of the Royal Albert, and Commission of 21 % for disburssments. hard labour, the clothes-to be released to be reduced to three with only acting commander of the Desperate during

New Members .- The following firms have

SUPREME COURT.

(Bifore His Hower the Acting Puisne ROBBERY WITH VIOLENCE, BEING ABMED.

Herbst, E. L. Woodin, E. C. Ray, A. J. charges in reply to their Joint Note. the General Meeting, which will be held Brandao, J. C. Hughes, and J. Muirhead.

arrested she was taken to a coolie home in Wing Lok Street, where she was shown during the week, the N. E. monsoon blowabout twenty coolies, from among whom she | ing pretty strongly. identified the second and third defendants The only witness in connection with the some apprehensions were felt, has, we learn, second count was that of a woman, Po arrived safely at Baugkok after a long pas-Aying, living in the same house, who sage from Sourabaya. asserted that she had been thrown down. a knife presented to her throat and a gold | deroga, Captain J. B. Cromwell, bearing

tradictory of that given at the Magistracy | morning of the 12th inst. that His Lordship directed the jury to !

the prisoners, but they failed as re- been specially built for the coasting trade gards the fourth. The police also proved here—and carries about 750 tons and finding three knives and a fighting iron on steams 91 knots on an average consumption

leaving the box, returned an unanimous on 17th November and left Suez on 19th.

third prisoners pleaded for mercy, saying andise were saved. On the 1st January, their friend was on the apres and they had very heavy weather was experienced which

fault to find, and in passing sentence, he more cargo was given up, the Penguin was

neglect be had put some other gentleman

The Sessions stand adjourned till to-

Police Intelligence.

STEALING LAMPS. Wong Akwai, a mat-packer, was charged with stealing four lamps from the front of No. 18, Queen's Street, on the 18th instant. Acpar Alli, P. C. 550, was on duty about 10 p.m. on the 18th, in the Queen's Road West, when he met defendant. He had a bamboo in one hand and the other hand of Lading for Sailing Ships trading between were found in the hand hidden below his amongst the Mohmunds, that Mahomed

Prisoner gave the usual excuse. He picked them up in the street. Sentence, fourteen days' imprisonment with hard labour for unlawful possession.

STEELING BRASS MINGES.

Chun Ayau, a bricklayer, was charged with stealing a quantity of breas hinges, valued about \$1, on the 18th instant. Defendant was sentenced to two months' imprisonment with hard labor. A LITTLE THIEF. Chun Ayan, a tailor, (who was so small his Worship could not see him in the dock.

ble by Agents at Eastern Ports in cases charged with stealing clothing to the value Defendant is an apprentice tailor. His which have to be lauled and master entrusted him to take the clothes to

(Before C. V. Creagh, Fig.) UNLAWFUL POSSESSION. Cheung Akau, a shop-keeper, was charged

with being in unlawful possession of one pair of brass hinges, a quantity of lead, two brasa washers, one piece of copper and some raw silk this morning. Case remanded till Monday next, the 23rd

SHANGHAL. (News.)

The following Decree appears in the "Po-

king Gazette" of 28th January:— The Board of Civil Office memorialise that having, in obedience to Imperial Command, determined a severe penalty, they beg that February. Ch'ung How, Benior Vice-President of the Court of Censors, may be dismissed the reports of the gathering at Ghazni have come public service in conformity with the law in of disbanded soldiery to the number which provides this penalty for offences of 500 or 600 who are said to have joined against the constitution. The circumstances it from Logar. All quiet in the Khyber. under which Ch'ung How, who was honoured | Mulla Libalil is reported to have gone to with Our commands to go forth on a mission, Bajour. Rumours of disturbances among took upon himself to start on his return the tribes near Kelati Gilzai and that they without waiting for the Imperial permission are contemplating an attack on it. to do so, are very grave, and the mere bestowal of dismissal upon him is insufficient; to expiate the crime of which he has been | Kandahar that cannot be carried forward. guilty. Let him, as a preliminary step, be It is believed here that General Stewart cashiered and arrested, and, after having takes the Bengal troops to Ghuzni, General been put to the question, let him be handed | Phayre marching with the Bombay troops over to the Board of Punishments for cor- to Herat. Sir R. Temple has invited the

We are informed that a telegram has been | spect to the Irish Relief Fund. sold by Yung-kee in the Honan Road.

the following gentlemen were then en- | we understand, without result. The Chinese pannelled as a July: - Mesers T. Kerr, R. have merely made a number of counter-

Mr G. Lemaire, the Consul for France at Mr F. W. Henerman, was also called. Shanghai, is, we hear, appointed to Hongbut as his partner Mr Berbst was sitting | kong and Canton. Mr Guarnier, the Consul at Batavia, is to succeed him at Shanghai. places. The following names were also called Mr Godesux, formerly Consul here, is ap-

It is said that the Chinese Governme The principal witness in the first count, has made a formal application to Russia to She said she was a married woman residing | Khakim Khan, who was defeated and fled to

Napier, commander, arrived on the 14th.

Singapore.

The French Flagship Themis, with Ad-

H. M. S. Hart arrived from Hongkong The weather has been rather boisterous

The British Schooner Goan Goan, Captain Mackay, in regard to the safety of which

The United States steam frigate Ticonthe broad pendant of Commodore Shufeldt, This woman's evidence was so flatly con- anchored in the roads at 11 o'clock on the

The steamer Hong Ann arrived from

England on the 9th instant, under charge Several witnesses were called to identify of Captain James Mackenzie. She has of 6 tone coal per 24 hours. She was built Mr Ng Choy said he would not press by Messrs. Wigham Richardson & Co. Newcastle on Tyne, to the order of Mr. On proceeding to summarise the evidence | Wee Boon Tek of this place, through | ladhun on the 30th. He has arranged with on 29th October, experienced heavy weather The jury, after consultation and without in the Bay of Biscay-reached Port Said verdict on the first count of guilty against When off the island of Jibbel Zukur, the first prisoner, and of guilty by a majo- Captain Fulton of the S. S. Penguin rity of four to three against the second and signalled for assistance, his vessel being third defendants, and on the second count ashore. Captain Mackenzis at once rean unavimous verdict of not guilty for all sponded to this call and an arrangement was made for salving her cargo-four trips | Savi, with 120 men of 34th and Cachar The fourth defendant was then discharged. | we're made between the Penguin and Aden, Before passing sentence the second and and about 1200 tons of valuable merchnothing to do with it. The first prisoner drove the Fenguin higher up on the reef and when the Hong ann reached her on His Lordship said, he must abide by the her fifth trip she found the Penguin bilged verdict of the jury with which he had no and full of water. All hope of salving could make no distinction, or it might seem | abandened and her officers and crew were taken on board the Hong Ann and landed The sentence of the Court was seven at Aden. It was fortunate for the Underwriters that the Hong Ann was so prompt At this point Mr J. M. dos Remedios, one ly available as had there been any delay of the absent jurors, presented himself and the greater part if not all the Penguin's independent Polish kingdom. valuable cargo must have been lost. Too His Lordship reminded him that by his great praise cannot be given to Captain Mackenzie and his officers for their able and energetic assistance, which as well as the valuable services of the Hong Ann in abandoning for the time her voyage

will no doubt be suitably rewarded. NEWS BY THE ENGLISH

Singapore when she was much wanted,

MAIL The P. & O. Co.'s steamship Lombardy, Captain W. B. Hall, with the London Mail of the 16th January, arrived this forencen.

TELEGRAPHIC SUMMARY. (Prom Indian Papers.) Jell-labad, Jan. 18.—The party under

Moghul Khan is dispersing. Their sup- of the House of Representatives has been concealed under his jacket. Defendant ran plies failing, they have returned to their called to hear Mr. Parnell make a speech away when the constable spoke to him. On homes. Asmatulla Khan has been sending on the Irish Land Question. being pursued and arrested, the burners reports all round the country, especially Jan will advance to Argandeh, that General Golam Hyder has come from Turkistan to Charikar, and that syub Khan is about to &c . has been in colusion (Jan. 10th) with move from Herat towards Kabul. These the Paria, and both vessels put into Malta reports, whether true or not, have been cir- badly damaged. culated evidently to keep up the hopes of the independent tribes still against us, of Sub-Lieutenant Duncan Macpherson, who have been disheartened by constant serving on board the Foxhound, on the reverses. A telegram from Daka states chica station, has been cancelled by the that Reina is in flames, and that the Da Admiralcy, owing, it is said, to the unka column is re-crossing the river after satisfactory nature of the reports received having burnt it. No enemy has been re- by their Lordships from Lieut. Nowell, ported as far as Polesi. The 25th King's commanding the Forhound, so certaing his own Borderers and the 80th Punjab Native senior executive officer's conduct. Sub-Infantry will move enwards if reinforce. Lieutenant Danean Maspherson attained ments can be sent to take their place from his present rank on Oct. 1, 1874, and his Penhavar. The 12th Bengal Cavalry will name appeared in the Gazette of Dec. 12, march to Peshawar to-morrow; the 14th 1879, on promotion, now cancelled. Bengal Lancers also return to India. The Captain G. W. Watson, who was on Peshawur column is reported to be at Tuesday gazetted to the rank of Admiral,

seventeen divisions.

Calcutta, Jan. 26 .- A small party escorting coolies from Zamba to Samaguting were for favourable notice.

Poona, Jan. 27.-The Poons Horse. march from Sirur to morrow morning. reaching Bombay, on the 5th of February. The E. Brig. Royal Horse Artillery march to-morrow morning, reaching Bombay 3rd Calcutta, Jan. 27 .- From Kabul further

Bembay, Jan. 28 .- Men have been telegraphed for to take charge of the stores of

citizens to meet him on Thursday with roreceived from Hongkong to the effect that | Calculta, Jan. 28. - Cubul 27th - General ticket No. 9,212 has won the \$18,000 prizes | Roberts visited the Latiburd on the in the February drawing of the Manila 26th. Orders have been issued for every Lettery. This ticket, we understand, was post to be provisioned for a month and in hand. Wheeled Artillery can now go made practicable throughout to Kabul

to have always three weeks supplies The Conference of Ministers at Peking is, to Jugdulluck. The road will soon be of which he has succumbed. The Sappers are improving a bad bit between Seti Baba and Latibund, supplies being brought in sufficient to meet any demands. No change in position during the last few days either at Ghazni or other

Bombay, Jan. 29 .- The Bombay papers announce by authority that Sir Frederick Haines will assume the command of the troops in Afghanistan shortly. It is un derstood that a regiment of Madras Cavalry comes to Bombay to take the place those sent to the front. Sir R. Temple and Sir R. Sandeman leave this evening. Additions to troops already wired: 2-11. 2-15, 1st Sind Horse, regiment of cavalry to be named hereafter. The 8rd Native Infantry, 23rd, and 24th, have been detailed from Reserve division for service. Bombay troops on service are held in readiness; two batteries borse, two field artillery, one mountain train battery. four regiments British Infantry, six Native Cavalry, thirteen Native Infantry. t the preliminary meeting last night for Irish Distress, it was decided that subscriptions be received and expended without reference to politics or creed. There was a lively

this afternoon, wished the fand to be sent to the Duchess of Marlborough, and not to the Lord Mayor. From Silchar information has been re ceived that on the night of the 27th, a raid was made on Caladhun tea garden by the Nagas or Kubis. The buildings were all burnt. The manager, Mr. P. Blyth, was killed. The district superintendent of the police has proceeded to the place with a party of thirty police. With reference to the raid on the Baladhun tea garden reported to day, there is nearly a full regiment in Cachar, and a detachment will

discussion. It is understood that Sir R

Temple who presided at the public meeting

be sent out at once to support the police in ships on the same station. the detection of the raiders. Calcutta, Jan. 29.-From Silchar, it stated that the District Superintendent of Police has found two more bedies of coolies at Baladhun and one is wounded. No further details are known. The Deputy Commissioner of Cachar will reach Bathe military for the outposts at the gardens | China Station are gazetted. west of Baladhun, and considers that addi tional troops are not necessary. The

moving towards our frontier from Naga hills. The Political Agent is requested to Calcutta, Jan. 29 .- Last reports from Silchar state the raiders in Baladhun were Nagas, but it is doubtful what Nagas. Nine coolies were killed besides the manager. All the house was destroyed. Mr. police, left Kohims, on the 24th. should reach Asaloo on Bist; and if the raiders are Nagas, should take them rear. Mr. Savi's party and party under Lieut, Macgregor, which has gone to Raplongnal and Kutcha Naga country, should make the retreat of the raiders

Sir Stewart Bayley will reach Cachar on the 2nd February. St. Petersburg, Jan. 30 .- The Golos advocates a reconciliation with the Poles. and re asserts that negotiations are believed

to have failed for the establishment of an London, Feb. 2.-A memorial has been forwarded to Lord Beaconsfield, asking for an inquiry respecting the execution at Kabul of persons not implicated in the attack on the Residency. The Times publishes a telegram from India stating that the report that the Viceroy is desirous of resigning is untrue.

press condemn generally the policy of Mr. Parnell. St. Peterburg, Feb. 2 .- The Russian press deprecate the occupation of Herat by Persia under the auspices of England.

New York, Feb. 2.-The New York

London, Feb. 8.-Experiments have proved that it was double loading which caused the bursting of the Thunderer's Obituary,-Colonel Munro, 93rd High-Washington, Feb. 8 .- A special sitting

(L. & C. Express, Jan. 16.) The Radnershire (s.), London for Penang

the promotion to the rank of Lieutenaut

consequent on the retirement of Admiral Madros, Jan. 19 .- The services of twenty- | Farquhar, entered the navy in 1841; was seven accountants-seventeen in the Pre- volunteer, 1st class, in the Apollo and sidency and ten in the Mofussil-have been | Dido at the capture of Chin-Kiang, and at the Crimean war.

Bir Julia rauncel to fnow a K. C. a. is a son of the late Mr Robert Pauncefote. attacked by the Nagas near Depapani. of Preston Court, Gloucestershire. He was One sepay of the 44th and one policeman | born in 1828, and having been educated for were severely wounded. The Nagas rushed the law was called to the Bar at the Inter to get their arms and ammunition, but one | Temple in 1852. He was for some time man of the 42nd and two men of the subsequently engaged in concolldating Frontier Police placed the wounded men statutes under the Statute Law Commisunder a tree, and used their rifles with | slon, and was appointed Atternoy-General such effect, that the Nagus were kept off of Hongkong in 1865, and exofficio member until the arrival of reinforcements from | of the Executive and Legislative Councils Zambs, where the firing was heard. Their of the colony. From 1869 till 1872 he was names have been sent up to General Nation | Acting Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Hongkong, and in that capacity prepared "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure" and other measures now in force in that colony. He received the thanks of the Legislative Council of Hongkong for his public services upon his appointment in 1874 as Chief Justice of the Leeward [slauds. The same year he was appointed assistant Under Secretary of State at the Colonial Office, being made a K.C.B. shortly after. This appointment he held till 1876, when he was appointed to his present office. that of Assistant Under-Secretary of State

at the Foreign Office. We regret to record the death of Capt. Henry Tapp, who went out to Chine in 1855, in the schooner Vindex, belonging to Messrs Dent & Co., in which employ he remained for many years, on the coset and on the Yangtze. On leaving there he took command of the steamer Urisia, trading between Nagasaki and Shanghai. In 1874 be joined the service of Measrs Butterfield & Swire, in command of the s.s. Peking. up to May, 1879, when he came home on sick leave. He was afterwards appointed to the command of the Wuhu the design of which vessel he greatly interested himse's in, and it is feared so much so that it brought on during the voyage to Shanghai an attack of paralysis, from a second attack

Steps are being taken by the Syndic. prominent scientific men, and military authorities of Nuples to organise a fitting reception for Professor Nordenskjold, who is expected to arrive there shortly on board the Vega. One of the sons of the King of Sweden will go to Naples to receive the

The Wivern, 4, iron turret ship, armour plated, 2,751 tone, 1,446-horse power, at Davonport, was commissioned on the 14th inst, for service on the China Station. The Wivern will have a complement of 152 officers and crew under the command of Commander J. G. Jones (1878) The other officers, so far as they have been appointed. are :- Lieutenants, Walter T. Warren and William J. H. Anton; Navigating Ident. Charles d' A. Morshead ; Chief Engineer, Leopold M. Green; Engineers, Edward Barrett a d' Samuel G. Follett; Assistant

Paymaster, John T. Greet. The Army and Navy Gazette states that the Russian ironclad Minin, now on passage to the China station, was originally constructed as a rigged turret ship on the Coles system. She is 298ft. long, has a beam of 49ft., and a displacement of 5,650 tons. But in consequence of the catastrophe to the Captain the Minin was altered to Mr Reed's central battery system. She has now a central citadel 93ft. long and 10ft. above the water line protected by 12-in. plates, worked on to 24in, of task backing. The armament consists of four guns of 28 tons each, mounted in pairs on two turn-tables on the main-deck, and fired en barbette over the top of the batery. She is a most formidable ship, far superior to the Iron Duke, the only British ironelad on the China station. Wherever we may chance to turn our eyes (says the journal quoted) we find foreign vesse's of war carrying heavier gune, even where they do not carry heavier armour, than the English

The Comus, corvette, Captain James W. East, arrived at Madeira on the 3rd inst. en route to Tristan d'Achuna, the Cape, the Crezets, and China, and left again on

The appointments of Sub-Lieutenants William Ricketts, to the Charybdis; and W. O. Thurburn, to the Sheldrake, on the Lieutenent Henry Belam, appointed to the Magpie, proceeds to Hongkong by

the P. and ... mail steamer from South ampton 22nd inst. Latest Mail Advices :- Yokobama Dec. 4. Shanghai Dec. 6, Fucchow Dec. 9, Hongkong Dec. 13. The P. & O. mail, with dates from Yokobama 27th, Shanghai 29th Nov., Hongkong 6th, Singapore 13th Dec., reached London, via Brindisi, on the 29th ult, its due date, and the heavy portion is expected at Southampton on the 18th inst., per P. & O. steamer Pekin The French mail, with the advices tabulated above, was delivered, via Naples, this morning. There are no later Japan advices via Ban Fran-

We have received "Strange Stories from Chinese Studio" by Herbert A. Giles, and "The Arctic Voyages of Adolp Brik Nordenskiöld," compiled by Alexander Leslie, which will be reviewed shortly.

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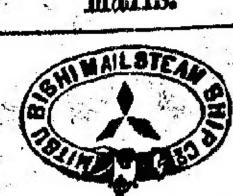
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> Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in hand. It is desirable to make the Querles proper as brief and as much to

The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two cesays were sent in to-compete for the bes paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learn ed societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixt paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what sold lars are ascertaining about China. Th lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume clone worth the price of the Review. Ac dress China Review, Hougkong. -- Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.)

Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following lowing notice of the China Review :- "Thi is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hong kong, where it has been set on foot as some respects a continuation of Notes an Queries on China and Japan, the extinctio of which uneful serial a year or two ago ke been much regretted in Europe as well in China. The present publication, judgin by the number new before us, is intended occupy a position, as regards China and th neighbouring countries, somewhat simils to that which has been filled in India by th Calculta Kericio. The great degree of a tention that has been bestowed of late year upon the investigation of Chinese literatur antiquities, and social developments, to sa nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of inform ation, rendering some such channel of pub licity as is now provided extremely desir able; and contributions of much interes may fairly be looked for from the member of the foreign consular services, the Unines Customs' corps, and the missionary body among whom a high degree of Chines scholarship is now assiduously cultivated and who are severally represented in the fire number of the Review by papers high creditable to their respective authors. a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by th Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place honour is deservedly given, an excellen aummary is presented of the chronologies problems and arguments involved in con nexion with this important work. Son translations from Chinese novels and play are marked by both accuracy and freshnes of style ; and an account of the career the Chinese post-statesman of the elevent century, SuTung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of now books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will form a substantial octave magazine.

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